

DEDICATION

We are honored to dedicate our cover to the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department. Certainly, the tragic events of September 11, 2001 have made us more aware of the danger that firefighters face each time they answer the call. These brave volunteers stand ready to rush to our aid in our time of need. Their commitment is only overshadowed by the courage it takes to risk their own lives to save others. Let us never forget those who gave so much. They are truly our heroes.

GOD BLESS AMERICA

TOWN TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Emergency Number	911
To Report Fires	775-0534
Regional Ambulance	773-1700
State Police	773-9101
Clarendon Post Office	773-7893
Clarendon Elementary School	775-5379
Mill River Union High School	775-1925
School Supt. Office	775-3264
Animal Control Officer	770-0587
Selectboard Administrative Assistant	747-4074
Town - 1 st Constable (pager)	742-1325
Town - 2 nd Constable (pager)	283-5985
Town - Road Commissioner (pager)	747-2934
Town Garage	775-3103
Town - Zoning Administrator	438-5261
Town Clerk's Office	775-4274
Town Treasurer's Office	775-1536
Town Treasurer's Home	438-6190
Town Listers Office	775-1536
Delinquent Tax Collector	438-6190

OPEN BURNING REGULATIONS

It is illegal to burn: Paper, cardboard, tires and other rubber tree products, treated - painted or finished wood, plastics and garbage.

Types of fires allowed: Campfires, outdoor barbecues, burning of leaves, brush, deadwood, tree cuttings and weeds from your property. Wood bonfires on festive occasions.

Open burning requires a permit. Call the Fire Warden, Clayton Rockwell @ 775-2074 for a permit to burn.

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICIALS FOR 2001

ELECTED:	TERM EXPIRES
Moderator: 1 year term Brownson Spencer	3/02
Town Clerk: 3 year term Joyce A. Pedone	3/02
Treasurer: 3 year term Rebecca Mandolare	3/02
Selectmen: 3 year term Michael Klopchin	3/02
J. Robert Sebasky	3/03
David E. Potter	3/04
Selectmen: 2 year term Robert T. Bixby	3/02
Nancy Buffum	3/03
Listers: 3 year term Arthur W. Knox, Sr.	3/04
Eleanor Spellman	3/03
Nancy A. Decker	3/02
First Constable: 2 year term Steven J. Johnson	3/03
Second Constable: 2 year term Charles Hall	3/02
Auditors: 3 year term Richard Bersaw	3/03
Arthur Knox, Sr.	3/02
Doris Weeks	3/04
Road Commissioner: 1 year term Norman C. Bowen	3/02

Elementary School Directors: 3 year term Leland Congdon	3/02
Mark Raub	3/04
Douglas C. Earle	3/03
Elementary School Directors: 2 year term Mary F. Johnson	3/03
Michael Stimpfel	3/02
Mill River Union #40 School Director: 3 year term Thomas S. Obrien	3/04
Allan Sylvester	3/03
Lynn Tucker (resigned)	3/02
Robert Hodge (appointed 05/14/01)	
Town Grand Juror: 1 year term Michael J. Pedone	3/02
Town Agent: 1 year term Gale Licausi	3/02
Collector of Delinquent Taxes: 1 year term Rebecca Mandolare	3/02
Justices of the Peace: Term 2001-2003 Richard Bersaw, Jr.	(Democrat)
Alan Burr	(Independent)
Leland Congdon	(Independent)
Joan Holden	(Independent)
Arthur Knox	(Independent)
Robert Stimson	(Independent)
Martin Wasserman	(Democrat)
Ruth West	(Independent)

**TOWN OF CLARENDON
LIST OF TOWN OFFICIALS - APPOINTED**

Animal Control Officer/Poundkeeper	Robert Minckler
Emergency Management Director	John Robert Sebasky
Emergency Management Asst. Director	Vacancy
E911 Primary Contact	Doris Weeks
E911 Secondary Contact	Linda Trombley
Fence Viewers [3]	Pauline Ayer Stephen Bromley Michael J. Pedone
Fire Warden	Clayton Rockwell
Green-Up Day - Town Coordinator	Timothy Waite
Health Officer	Robert LaFrancis
Health Officer - Deputy	Vacancy
Inspector of Wood Shingles	Francis Cecot
Planning Commission [7 members]	Madison Aiken George Ambrose John Fumeaux Carol Geery Eric Jensen Ron Osgood R. Brownson Spencer
Recreation Committee [8 members]	Eric Poczobut Julie Lebo Jeffry Taylor Marsha Todd Judy Todd Anita Waite Vacancy Vacancy
Select Board Chairman	Robert Sebasky
Select Board Clerk	Nancy Buffum
Administrative Assistant	Linda Trombley
Special Police Officers	Raymond LaMoria Nelson Tift
Tree Warden	Vacancy
Town Service Officer	Susan Potter

**TOWN OF CLARENDON
LIST OF TOWN OFFICIALS - APPOINTED**

Zoning Administrator	Robert La Francis
Zoning Board of Adjustment [7]	Susan Potter Isle Vergi Ruth West Carol Geery Gale LiCausi Joseph Kalakowski Martin Wasserman
Weighers of Coal [2]	John Wehse Richard White
<u>Town Representatives</u>	
Clarendon Grange Community Center - Board of Directors:	
Town Representatives:	Joan Bixby Nancy Buffum
Law Enforcement Community Advisory Board:	
Town Representative	Steven Johnson
Municipal Transportation Compact:	
Town Representative	David Potter
Town Alternate Representative	Nancy Buffum
Rutland County Solid Waste District:	
Town Representative	Nancy Buffum
Town Alternate Representative	None Appointed
Rutland Regional Ambulance Service	Doris Weeks
Rutland Regional Planning Commission:	
Town Regular Commissioner	Michael Klopchin
Town Alternate Commissioner	Robert Bixby
Rutland Regional Transportation Council:	
Town Regular Council Appointee	David Potter
Town Alternate Council Appointee	Robert Bixby
Rutland State Airport T.A.C. Committee	Martin Wasserman

**TOWN OF CLARENDON, VERMONT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARNING
FOR YEAR 2002**

The legal voters of the Town of Clarendon, Vermont are warned to meet at the Clarendon Elementary School on Monday, March 4, 2002, at 7:30 p.m., to act on articles as designated in the warning and to meet again on Tuesday, March 5, 2002, at the Clarendon Elementary School between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., to vote on articles by Australian ballot as designated in the warning.

- ARTICLE 1. To act on all Town Officers reports.
- ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town of Clarendon will pay taxes to the Treasurer.
- ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town of Clarendon will authorize the Select Board to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
- ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum not to exceed **\$592,065.21** to provide funds for the General Government and Highway Expenditures? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town of Clarendon set annual compensation for the Select Board at **\$1,000** each for the calendar year January 1, 2002 through December 31, 2002? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 6. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum not to exceed **\$30,000** to be used for road resurfacing ? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 7. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$10,000** to add to the existing Town Reserve Account for Bridge Repair for the purpose of funding construction of Bridge #14 located on the Middle Road in Clarendon ? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 8. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$36,000** for support of the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Association? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 9. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$11,947** for support of the Rutland Regional Ambulance Service Inc.? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 10. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$3,539** to support the Rutland Area Visiting Nurse Association and Hospice, in calendar year 2002 (\$200 to support Rutland Area Hospice, and \$3,339 to support RAVNAH Home and Community Health Services)? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 11. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$1,300** for the support of the Clarendon Senior Meals Site? (Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging) [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 12. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$2,200** for support of the Rutland Mental Health Services? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 13. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$75** for support of the Rutland Natural Resources Conservation District? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 14. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$385** for support of the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 15. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$345** for support of the Vermont Center for Independent Living? [Australian Ballot]

**TOWN OF CLARENDON, VERMONT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARNING
FOR YEAR 2002**

- ARTICLE 16. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$165** for support of the Rutland County Women's Network & Shelter? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 17. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$200** to support the Association for Retarded Citizens - Rutland Area (ARC) in 2002? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 18. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$500** for the year 2002 for partial funding of the Rutland County Community Land Trust's efforts to assist Clarendon Residents with their affordable housing needs? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 19. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of **\$500** to support the Crossroads Arts Council in 2002 ? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 20. Shall the voters of the Town of Clarendon authorize the Town Clerk to approve additions to the checklist pursuant to Title 17, V.S.A., section 2144b? [Australian Ballot]
- ARTICLE 21. Shall the legislature be urged to change Vermont's voting law for statewide elections, which currently can result in no candidate receiving a majority and thus the selection of a governor by the legislature instead of the voters, and replace it with a system that allows voters to rank their choices so that, without the need for a separate runoff election, the candidate preferred by a majority of voters is elected? [Non-Binding Referendum Question]
- ARTICLE 22. To elect the following officers: [Australian Ballot]
- | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Auditor | 3 year term |
| Town Lister | 3 year term |
| Town Moderator | 1 year term |
| Road Commissioner | 3 year term |
| Second Constable | 2 year term |
| Select Board Member | 3 year term |
| Select Board Member | 2 year term |
| Town Agent | 1 year term |
| Town Clerk | 3 year term |
| Town Delinquent Tax Collector | 1 year term |
| Town Grand Juror | 1 year term |
| Town Treasurer | 3 year term |
- ARTICLE 23. To conduct any other lawful business.

TOWN OF CLARENDON SELECT BOARD

J. Robert Sebasky, Chair
Nancy Buffum, Clerk
Robert Bixby
Michael J. Klopchin
David E. Potter

Signed and dated at Clarendon, Vermont the 28th day of January 2002

The Select Board delivered this warning to the Town Clerk on January 29, 2002.

CLARENDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

WARNING

ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

The legal voters of the Town School District of Clarendon, Vermont are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Clarendon Elementary School at seven-thirty (7:30) P.M., in the evening on Monday, March 4, 2002, for the annual town school district meeting. The polls will be open on Tuesday, March 5, 2002, at the Clarendon Elementary School, from ten (10) o'clock in the morning until seven (7) o'clock in the evening for the purpose of voting by Australian Ballot. The business to be transacted will include:

- ARTICLE I** To elect a Town School District Moderator for the ensuing year. (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE II** To elect one town school director for a term of three years. (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE III** To elect one town school director for a term of two years. (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE IV** To elect one director to the Mill River Union District #40 Board for a term of 3 years. (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE V** Will the Town School District vote to authorize the Board of School Directors to borrow money temporarily, from time to time, as may be required to pay orders? (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE VI** Will the Town School District vote to approve a total budget of \$2,786,241.00 for the operation of the elementary school and tuition to Stafford Technical Center? (By Australian Ballot)
- ARTICLE VII** To transact any other business proper to be done at said meeting

SCHOOL BOARD DIRECTORS

Leland Congdon

Leland Congdon

Doug Earle

Doug Earle

Mary Johnson

Mary L. Johnson

Mark Raub

Mark Raub

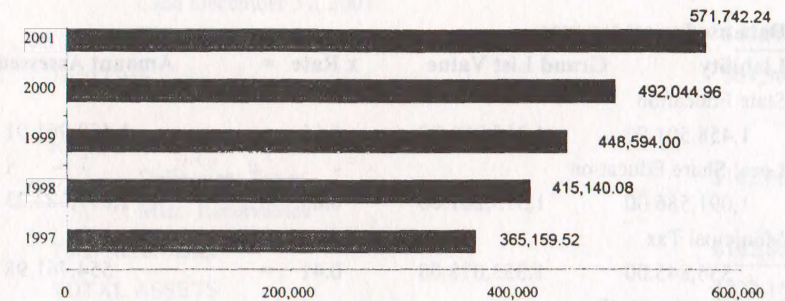
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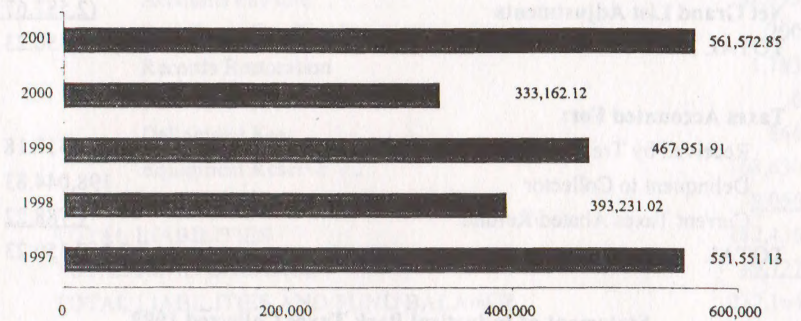
Dated at Clarendon, Vermont this 22nd day of January 2002.

AUDITORS REPORT OF ACTUAL EXPENSE

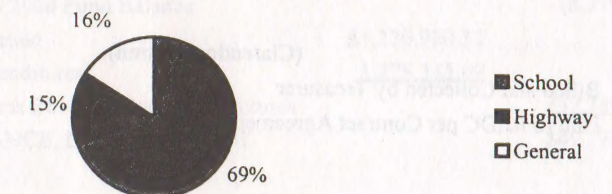
General Government



Highway



Tax Dollars - 2001



STATEMENT OF TAXES RAISED
For the Year Ended December 31, 2001

Data used to set tax rate:

Liability	Grand List Value	x Rate	=	Amount Assessed
State Education				
1,458,501.00	1,315,281.00	1.11	=	1,459,961.91
Local Share Education				
1,091,586.00	1,315,281.00	0.83	=	1,091,683.23
Municipal Tax				
556,845.00	1,353,078.00	0.41	=	554,761.98
Local Agreement Tax				
2,894.00	1,353,078.00	0.01	=	<u>13,530.78</u>
TOTAL TAXES ASSESSED & BILLED				3,119,937.90
Net Grand List Adjustments				<u>(2,587.67)</u>
TOTAL INCLUDING ADJUSTMENTS				3,117,350.23

Taxes Accounted For:

Received by Treasurer	2,917,517.18
Delinquent to Collector	198,044.83
Current Taxes Abated/Refund	<u>1,788.22</u>
TOTAL	3,117,350.23

Statement of Industiral Park Taxes Collected 1999
(Rutland City Portion)

Billed by Treasurer	93,065.06
Collected by Treasurer	93,065.06
Paid to City as of December 31, 2001	93,065.06

(Clarendon Portion)

Billed and Collected by Treasurer	100,598.27
Paid to REDC per Contract Agreement (10%)	10,059.83

GENERAL FUND BALANCE SHEET
As of December 31, 2001

ASSETS

Cash December 31, 2001

Checking	\$69,303.29
Total Cash	\$69,303.29

RECEIVABLES

Delinquent Taxes	\$162,860.90 *
Misc. Receivables	<u>0.00</u>
Total Receivables	\$162,860.90
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$232,164.19</u>

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$2,893.42
Real Estate Tax Payable	200.00
Records Restoration	1,783.00
Town Clerk Fees	6.50
Delinquent Fees	866.29
Equipment Reserve	168,630.34
Grange Fund	<u>8,056.85</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	182,436.40
TOTAL FUND BALANCE	<u>49,727.79</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	232,164.19

ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

For the Year Ended December 31, 2001

FUND BALANCE, January 1, 2001	115,491.80
Adjustment to 2000 Fund Balance	(8,379.24)
Revenue	\$1,220,930.32
Expenditures	<u>1,278,315.09</u>
Excess Revenue Over Expenditures	<u>(57,384.77)</u>
FUND BALANCE, December 31, 2001	\$49,727.79

* Subject to Adjustment in 2002

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES
BUDGETED AND ACTUAL
As of the Year Ended December 31, 2001

	Budget FY - 2001	Actual FY - 2001	Budget FY - 2002
Revenues			
Current Taxes	559,170.12	565,475.01	592,065.21
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	6,000.00	21,190.70	11,000.00
Industrial Park Taxes	65,000.00	93,065.06	100,000.00
Pilot Payment	2,000.00	2,070.00	2,000.00
EEGL Study - State of VT	1,200.00	1,278.00	1,200.00
Reappraisal - State of VT	7,600.00	7,668.00	7,600.00
Current Use - State of VT	7,000.00	11,182.00	7,000.00
Planning Commision Fund	<u>1,200.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Revenues	649,170.12	701,928.77	720,865.21
Fees & Fines			
Planning Commission Fees	5,000.00	5,270.68	5,000.00
Septic Permit Fees	250.00	325.00	300.00
Overweight Permit Fees	500.00	355.00	350.00
Transfer Station Revenue	32,000.00	32,989.10	33,000.00
Dog Licenses and Fines	3,700.00	3,436.00	3,500.00
Fines	1,000.00	4,154.50	5,000.00
Town Clerk Fees	0.00	22,874.50	0.00
Copy Fees	2,000.00	3,054.67	3,000.00
Delinquent Collector Fees	0.00	12,569.94	0.00
Grange Hall Revenue	<u>2,500.00</u>	<u>2,712.62</u>	<u>3,000.00</u>
Total Fees and Fines	46,950.00	87,742.01	53,150.00
Other			
State of VT - Highway	125,000.00	172,928.83	120,000.00
State of VT - Culvert Grant	45,000.00	45,000.00	0.00
HFI Loan Repayment	0.00	0.00	15,000.00

Fund Balance	115,491.80	0.00	49,727.79
Miscellaneous	<u>8,000.00</u>	<u>19,359.64</u>	<u>8,000.00</u>
Total Other	293,491.80	237,288.47	192,727.79

Investment Income			
Interest on Investments	7,200.00	6,396.07	6,500.00
Transfer - Equipment Fund	44,000.00	42,575.00	13,000.00
Transfer - Long Term Debt	<u>0.00</u>	<u>145,000.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Investment Income	51,200.00	193,971.07	19,500.00
Total Revenues	<u>1,040,811.92</u>	<u>1,220,930.32</u>	<u>986,243.00</u>

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen			
Selectmen Salaries	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Administrative Salary	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,625.00
Selectmen Expenses	<u>200.00</u>	<u>126.83</u>	<u>200.00</u>
Total Selectmen	30,200.00	30,126.83	30,825.00

Treasurer			
Treasurer - Salary	25,500.00	25,500.00	26,138.00
Asst. Treasurer Compensation	4,400.00	4,399.50	4,750.00
Delinquent Tax Collector	0.00	12,569.94	0.00
Auditing	300.00	300.00	300.00
Town Report	2,000.00	1,667.00	1,687.00
Treasurer - Expenses	200.00	212.24	300.00
Maintenance / Verification	420.00	420.00	420.00
Interest	1,000.00	2,032.22	2,500.00
Annual External Audit	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>6,000.00</u>
Total Treasurer	33,820.00	47,100.90	42,095.00

Town Clerk			
Town Clerk Compensation	8,400.00	8,400.00	8,610.00
Town Clerk Fees	0.00	22,874.50	0.00
Assistant Clerk Compensation	4,350.00	4,315.50	4,431.00

Elections	1,000.00	465.85	1,500.00
Town Clerk Expenses	<u>1,950.00</u>	<u>2,305.46</u>	<u>2,500.00</u>
Total Town Clerk	15,700.00	38,361.31	17,041.00

Town Hall Expenses

Postage	3,200.00	3,307.76	3,500.00
Town Hall Utilities	6,500.00	6,090.48	6,000.00
Town Hall Maintenance	5,000.00	3,632.20	5,000.00
Town Hall Office Supplies	1,100.00	1,629.04	1,700.00
Equipment Maint / Agreement	<u>1,300.00</u>	<u>1,970.16</u>	<u>4,000.00</u>
Total Town Hall Expenses	17,100.00	16,629.64	20,200.00

Listing

Listing Compensation	12,000.00	7,195.00	11,000.00
Listing Expenses	<u>500.00</u>	<u>418.26</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total Listing	12,500.00	7,613.26	11,500.00

Boards

Planning Commission	1,000.00	1,908.63	600.00
Planning Commission Legal	0.00	0.00	500.00
Zoning Administrator	2,500.00	1,974.46	2,500.00
Board of Adjustment	150.00	35.00	300.00
Board of Zoning Adj - Legal	0.00	0.00	1,200.00
Abatements & Refunds	<u>1,000.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total Boards	4,650.00	3,918.09	6,100.00

Solid Waste Removal

Solid Waste Compensation	16,588.00	15,723.25	17,000.00
Solid Waste - Expenses	<u>40,000.00</u>	<u>44,776.25</u>	<u>46,000.00</u>
Total Solid Waste Removal	56,588.00	60,499.50	63,000.00

Benefits

Social Security	18,000.00	19,263.79	21,000.00
Vermont Retirement	8,600.00	9,423.23	10,000.00
Unemployment	1,000.00	592.00	750.00

Insurance - Health	21,000.00	18,530.21	27,600.00
Insurance - General	<u>22,122.00</u>	<u>26,229.00</u>	<u>25,200.00</u>
Total Benefits	70,722.00	74,038.23	84,550.00

Public Safety

Constables	12,131.00	13,342.76	13,500.00
Dog Damage/Animal Control	2,590.00	887.93	2,000.00
Health Officer	500.00	527.64	500.00
Clarendon Tree Warden	250.00	0.00	250.00
Clarendon Fire Warden	<u>100.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Total Public Safety	15,571.00	14,758.33	16,350.00

Regional

County Tax	18,346.92	17,077.75	16,655.00
Industrial Park Taxes	65,000.00	93,065.06	100,000.00
R.E.D.C.	750.00	750.00	750.00
R.E.D.C. Contract Agreement	7,500.00	10,598.27	12,500.00
VT League of Cities/Towns	<u>1,803.00</u>	<u>1,803.00</u>	<u>1,827.00</u>
Total Regional	93,399.92	123,294.08	131,732.00

General Expenses

Contingency	11,500.00	23,121.15	11,000.00
Legal Fees	8,100.00	16,621.36	10,000.00
Legal Notices and Forms	2,400.00	896.24	1,500.00
Survey Public Common	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>5,000.00</u>
Total General Expenses	22,000.00	40,638.75	27,500.00

Appropriations

Cemetery Maintenance	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,500.00
Clarendon Fire Association	36,000.00	36,000.00	36,000.00
Clarendon Fire Truck Article	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
Retired Senior Volunteer Prog.	385.00	385.00	385.00
Visiting Nurse Assoc / Hospice	3,539.00	3,539.00	3,539.00
Office on Aging - Meals	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,300.00
VT Green Up	50.00	65.77	50.00

Regional Ambulance	13,466.00	13,466.00	11,947.00
VT Regional Planning Comm	500.00	500.00	500.00
Recreation	4,500.00	350.00	4,000.00
Rutland County Women's Nt	165.00	165.00	165.00
Rutland Conservation District	75.00	0.00	75.00
VT Center Independent Living	295.00	295.00	345.00
George Aiken Conservation	50.00	0.00	0.00
Bailey Memorial Library	13,000.00	11,036.00	13,500.00
Grange Hall Maintenance	4,000.00	8,961.55	13,000.00
Rutland Cnty Comm Land Tru	500.00	500.00	500.00
Rutland Mental Health	2,200.00	0.00	2,200.00
Memorial Gardens / Firemen	0.00	0.00	0.00
Association Retarded Citizens	200.00	200.00	200.00
Crossroad's Art Council	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total Appropriations	118,225.00	114,763.32	91,706.00
Total General Government	<u>490,475.92</u>	<u>571,742.24</u>	<u>542,599.00</u>
HIGHWAY			
Labor			
Labor - Class II	60,620.00	49,454.04	67,000.00
Labor - Class III	33,316.00	40,696.87	34,500.00
Equipment Repair & Fund	<u>16,000.00</u>	<u>15,014.05</u>	<u>18,500.00</u>
Total Labor	109,936.00	105,164.96	120,000.00
Roads			
Salt	50,000.00	64,021.12	55,000.00
Gravel	45,000.00	48,103.13	45,000.00
Sand	25,000.00	26,171.32	25,000.00
Calcium Chloride	4,000.00	5,085.00	5,000.00
Cold Patch & Resurfacing	50,000.00	82,480.82	55,000.00
Cold Patch & Resurfacing	0.00	0.00	30,000.00
Road Reconstruction	<u>30,000.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>36,000.00</u>
Total Roads	204,000.00	225,861.39	251,000.00

Garage			
Garage Utilities	4,500.00	3,797.20	4,500.00
Garage Maintenance	2,000.00	734.19	2,000.00
Fuel, Oil & Grease	14,400.00	12,292.89	14,400.00
Mech. Supplies & Parts	21,000.00	29,397.44	25,000.00
Highway Miscellaneous	<u>10,000.00</u>	<u>9,985.60</u>	<u>11,000.00</u>
Total Garage	51,900.00	56,207.32	56,900.00
Other			
Equipment Fund	5,000.00	5,000.00	16,372.90
Contract Services	22,000.00	19,990.80	23,000.00
Culverts & Guardrails	7,000.00	7,295.72	9,000.00
Signs & Pavement Lines	2,000.00	2,946.62	2,400.00
Bridge Repairs	3,000.00	500.00	600.00
Bridge #25 TH #10	33,000.00	35,407.83	800.00
TH #39 Culvert	50,000.00	51,490.00	0.00
Bridge #14 TH #1	4,000.00	5,867.89	10,000.00
Bridge #15 TH#3 New Deck	12,000.00	1,463.20	5,000.00
Bridge #24 TH#16	2,500.00	1,802.12	2,500.00
Bridge #28	0.00	0.00	1,600.00
Long Term Debt - Principal	0.00	0.00	29,000.00
Long Term Debt - Interest	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>4,627.10</u>
Total Other	140,500.00	131,764.18	104,900.00
Total Highway	<u>506,336.00</u>	<u>518,997.85</u>	<u>532,800.00</u>
Capital Expenditures			
Capital Expenditures	<u>44,000.00</u>	<u>187,575.00</u>	<u>13,000.00</u>
Total Capital Expenditures	44,000.00	187,575.00	13,000.00
Total Expenditures	<u>1,040,811.92</u>	<u>1,278,315.09</u>	<u>1,088,399.00</u>
Total General Fund	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(57,384.77)</u>	<u>0.00</u>

EQUIPMENT FUND
Balance Sheet - December 31, 2001

ASSETS	
Cash and Short-Term Investments	<u>168,630.34</u>
Total Assets	168,630.34
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	
Fund Balance	<u>168,630.34</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	168,630.34

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balance
Year Ended December 31, 2001

REVENUE	
Revenue	\$5,000.00
Interest	<u>2,246.19</u>
Total Revenue	\$7,246.19
EXPENDITURES	
Transfer to General Fund	<u>(\$42,575.00)</u>
Revenues Over Expenditures	(\$35,328.81)
Retained Earnings - January 1, 2001	\$203,959.15
Change in Fund Balance	<u>(35,328.81)</u>
Retained Earnings - December 31, 2001	\$168,630.34

LONG TERM DEBT ACCOUNT - EQUIPMENT PURCHASE
Comparative Balance Sheet As of December 31, 2001

ASSETS		
Amount to be provided for retirement of long term debt	Dec. 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000
	<u>\$149,627.10</u>	\$0.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$149,627.10	\$0.00

LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE

Long term debt payable - Principal	\$145,000.00	\$0.00
- Interest	<u>4,627.10</u>	<u>0.00</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & BALANCE	\$149,627.10	\$0.00

RESERVE ACCOUNT FOR BRIDGE REPAIR
CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance -- January 1, 2001	\$74,742.22
Interest Income	<u>2,564.66</u>
Balance -- December 31, 2001	\$77,306.88

EQUIPMENT AND BUILDING ASSETS

Highway Equipment:

Ford F550 XL 4x4	(2001)	55,000
International Dump Truck 5-7 Yard	(1998)	30,000
International Dump Truck 5-7 Yard	(1994)	19,500
International Dump Truck 5-7 Yard	(1993)	17,500
International Dump Truck 5-7 Yard	(1987)	5,000
Caterpillar 307 Hydraulic Excavator	(1955)	30,000
Galion 850C AWD Grader	(2001)	130,000
International Loader 1.5 Yard	(1986)	22,500
Tractor	(1955)	1,500
Tractor and Brush Hog	(1972)	6,800
Plows:		
Housatonic		3,300
Frink - All Angle Plow		550

Sanders:

Swenson - Hopper Sanders (2) 7.4 yard	(1988)	2,000
Swenson - Hopper Sander 7 yard 10 feet	(1988)	3,500
Swenson - Hopper Sander 9 foot	(1999)	4,500

Miscellaneous Equipment 40,000

Total Highway Equipment 371,650

Buildings and Equipment:

Computer System	(1999)	8,610
Photocopier	(1999)	3,000
Fax Machine		200
Grange Community Center		250,000
Town Garage	(1973)	33,000
Equipment Shed	(1976)	9,600
Town Hall	(1977-1982)	115,000
Transfer Station (1984) Pole Barn (1996/97)		<u>20,000</u>
Total Buildings and Equipment		439,410

Total Equipment and Building Assets 811,060

Note—All appraisal values are estimates

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Receipts and Disbursements - General Fund

Cash in Bank and on Hand - January 1, 2001 \$174,172.30

RECEIPTS

Receipts	<u>\$3,971,017.32</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$3,971,017.32

DISBURSEMENTS

2001 Tax Transfer - School	\$2,550,087.00
Selectmen's Orders (Net)	1,232,734.27
Industrial Park Taxes - Rutland	93,065.06
Tax anticipation Loan	<u>200,000.00</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$4,075,886.33

Cash in Bank and On Hand - December 31, 2001 \$69,303.29

Statement of Cash on Hand for the General Fund & Equipment Reserve As of December 31, 2001

General Fund	(\$99,327.05)
Equipment Fund	<u>168,630.34</u>
General Fund Balance	\$69,303.29

SALARY ORDERS

Highway

Bellows, Leroy	\$3,465.01
Bowen, Norman	42,624.02
Dean Sr., John M.	3,105.00
Kennedy, Tim	270.00
Kotrady, William	24,651.53
Loomis Jr., Ralph	684.00
Regimbald, Howard	220.00
Senecal, Louis	<u>30,145.40</u>
Total Highway	\$105,164.96

General

Bersaw, Richard	Auditor	\$100.00
Bixby, Robert	Selectman	1,000.00
Buffum, Nancy	Selectman	1,000.00
Congdon, Gladys	Ballot Clerk	62.50
Congdon, Leland	Ballot Clerk	62.50
Decker, Nancy	Lister	3,070.00
Eccleston, Heidi	Animal Control Officer	395.63
Hall, Charles	Second Constable	4,799.97
Hogenauer, Tammy	Assistant Treasurer	4,369.50
Johnson, Steve	First Constable	4,799.97
Klopchin, Michael	Selectman	1,000.00
Knox, Arthur	Lister	1,260.00
Knox, Arthur	Auditor	100.00
LaFrancis, Robert	Zoning/Health	2,161.25
Lamoria, Raymond	Special Officer	2,799.96
Mandolare, Rebecca	Treasurer/Delinquent Tax	37,519.94
Milo, Alan	Transfer Station	7,479.25
Minkler, Robert	Transfer Station/ACO	8,506.50
Murray, David J.	Ballot Clerk	62.50
Pedone, Joyce	Town Clerk	31,274.50
Potter, David	Selectman	1,000.00

Sebasky, Robert	Selectman	1,000.00
Spellman, Eleanor	Lister	2,965.00
Tift, Nelson	Special Officer	440.00
Trombley, Linda	Administrative Assistant /	25,500.00
Weeks, Doris	Auditor	100.00
Wilson, Fran	Assistant Town Clerk	<u>4,315.50</u>
Total General		\$147,144.47
TOTAL SALARIES		\$252,309.43

TREASURER'S REPORT REBECCA MANDOLARE, TREASURER

This year the Town had both revenues and expenditures greater than budgeted which resulted in a "Fund Balance" going into 2002 of \$49,727.79. The "Fund Balance" is considered under revenue in the 2002 Budget and helps to reduce the amount needed to be raised by taxation. See the "Statement of Revenue and Expenses" for the detailed reporting of 2001 activities.

Great effort has been made to reduce and control expenditures whenever possible and an equal effort has been made to hold the Town tax rate down for the 2002 tax year.

I would like to remind all taxpayers, that the Treasurer's Office WILL accept partial tax payments at any time throughout the year. Mail payments referencing account number to:

Town of Clarendon, Treasurer's Office
P.O. Box 30
N. Clarendon, Vt 05759

Respectfully,

Rebecca Mandolare
Treasurer

DELINQUENT TAX SUMMARY

Year	Warrant Issued	Collected	Corrected	Warrant Due
1997	1,655.72	1,597.00		58.72
1998	18,064.07	14,512.06	879.83	2,672.18
1999	33,206.02	21,844.21	1,656.37	9,705.44
2000	99,152.05	64,477.95	2,055.78	32,618.32
2001	<u>198,044.83</u>	<u>72,922.74</u>	<u>10,571.27</u>	<u>114,550.82</u>
	\$350,122.69	\$175,353.96	\$15,163.25	159,605.48

Interest 21,190.70

Submitted December 31, 2001

Rebecca Mandolare

Tax Collector

LIST OF DELINQUENT TAXES

Real Estate Tax: 1997
HIER, DANIEL 58.72
Total for 1997 58.72

Real Estate Tax: 1998
BELLOWS, EARL, CALLA 867.39
DAVIS, DANIEL, CINDY 292.80
FITZGERALD, PATRICK 86.00
FREDERICKS, MARION 233.19
HIER, DANIEL 1,090.48
NEWCOURT COMMUNICATIONS 21.32
RODENBERGER, JAY, BRANDT, EMMON 81.00
Total for 1998 2,672.18

Real Estate Tax: 1999
AUSTIN, BURTON 527.68
BAILEY, MERLYN 1,969.24

DAVIS, DANIEL, CINDY 1,187.28
ETHIER, RALPH 395.76
FITZGERALD, PATRICK 97.00
FREDERICK, PERCY, MARY 602.18
FREDERICKS, MARION 504.40
HIER, DANIEL 1,229.96
INGALLS, ARTHUR, BARBARA, POCKETTE 111.28
NEWCOURT COMMUNICATION 9.49
LANCOUR, ANN 1,751.83
TAYLOR, PATRICIA 139.07
VENNE, JOHN, SYLVIA 1,180.27
Total for 1999 9,705.44

Real Estate Tax 2000
ADAMS, BARBARA 517.00
ALBERICO, KATHERINE 303.85
AUSTIN, BURTON, BRENDA 560.32
BAILEY, MERLYN 3,214.76
BAIRD, DAVID, ANNA 1,388.68
BELLOWS, EARL, CALLA 1,554.12
BLANCHARD, EARLE JR. 1,346.57
BURNIE, JAMES A. 304.88
CALLAHAN, KEVIN 659.20
CHOQUET, JOSEPH A. 320.02
CLINTON, JOHN 245.14
COLBURN, LEE 36.28
COLEMAN, PAMELA 41.23
DAVIS, DANIEL, CINDY 1,260.72
ETHIER, RALPH 420.24
FITZGERALD, PATRICK 103.00
FREDERICK, PERCY 999.10
FREDRICKS, MARION 477.66
HEIKKINEN, TERRY 199.18
HIER, DANIEL 1,306.04
INGALLS, ARTHUR 485.58
INGALLS, JAMES 14.12

KING, TERRY L.	321.59
KUC THEODORE R II	2,603.84
LANCOUR, ANNE	5,566.12
LAWYER, DALE	556.20
LEWIS, MARK	19.53
MATTHEWS, GARY	303.66
MOOT, RICHARD	2,140.34
NEWCOURT COMMUNICATION	11.03
RANDALL, SCOTT	381.24
ROMANO ET AL	1,893.14
ST. LAWRENCE, EDWARD	58.40
TAYLOR, PATRICIA	409.94
VENNE, JOHN	1,524.40
WISE, KIM	<u>1,071.20</u>
Total for 2000	32,618.32

Real Estate Tax: 2001

ABARE, KAREN W.	932.32
ADAMS, BARBARA	923.68
AIR RESTORATION INC.	37.80
AIR RESTORATION INC.	415.36
ALBERICO, KATHERINE	627.76
ALLEN, JEFFREY T.	2,921.68
BADGER, LUCRETIA	299.72
BAILEY, MERLYN	21.00
BAILEY, MERLYN	4,828.56
BAIRD, DAVID, ANNA	2,433.16
BARROWS, ALTON	2,766.34
BARROWS, RONALD	526.28
BELLOWS, EARL, CALLA	2,364.72
BENOIT, LAUREL	1,850.24
BLANCHARD, EARLE JR.	2,395.40
BOURN, ROGER	335.12
BROWN, CHARLES	2,450.42
BURNIE, JAMES A.	349.28
BYRNE, THOMAS	444.00

CANCIO BELLO, ANNA	656.08
CARLETON, MAXWELL	1,727.52
CHOQUET, JOSEPH A.	387.16
CLINTON, JOHN	280.84
COLBURN, LEE	613.60
COLEMAN, PAMELA	290.28
CORLISS, DAVID	188.37
CROSSMAN, BERTRAM	5,664.00
CROSSMAN, BERTRAM	1,177.64
DAVIS, DANIEL, CINDY	1,444.32
DOTSON, STEPHEN	523.92
DOYNE, PETER	3,938.84
ETHIER, RALPH	481.44
FIRST NORTHERN CO.	1,814.84
FITZGERALD, PATRICK	118.00
FREDERICK, PERCY	1,144.60
FREDRICKS, MARION	615.96
GILMORE, BETH	194.96
GROUP I A VT PARTNERSHIP	3,910.72
HAWKINS, VICKY JO	1,295.64
HEIKKINEN, TERRY	601.80
HERRERA, FRANCIS A.	1,042.08
HIER, DANIEL	1,496.24
HIGGS, JAMES	807.12
HINKLEY, BARBARA	686.76
HOGENAUER, DAVID	970.60
INGALLS, ARTHUR	463.56
INGALLS, JAMES	3,016.08
INGALLS, STEVEN	1,827.18
KENNEDY C/O BROWN	493.24
KENT, JOHN	2,308.08
KING, TERRY L.	620.68
KLOPCHIN, LINDA	3,455.04
KUC THEODORE R II	2,983.04
LANCOUR, ANNE	4,659.46
LAUSCHA, JOHN	127.44

LAWYER, DALE	637.20
LEBO, SANDRA	495.60
LEWIS, MARK	1,857.32
LOUTTIT, ERIC	1,400.00
LYMAN, MARY F.	54.60
MALLETTE, ALBERT	75.42
MATTHEWS, GARY	2,874.48
MAXFIELD, TIMOTHY	556.96
MCMAHON, WILLIAM	1,239.48
MENARD, ARTHUR	679.68
MOOT, RICHARD	852.04
PHAM AN, VAN	399.44
PYKOSZ, TODD	649.04
RANDALL, SCOTT	3,101.04
ROMANO ET AL	2,168.84
ROYCE, HUGH	1,818.18
RUEDT, STEVEN	5,628.60
SEAMANS, WILFRED	238.13
SILISKI, DOREEN	2,393.04
SMITH, RODERICK	1,069.08
SMITH, RODERICK	653.72
ST. LAWRENCE, EDWARD	901.52
TAYLOR, PATRICIA	469.64
TOBIN, PETER	587.64
TOBIN, PETER	16.80
VENNE, JOHN	1,746.40
VOYDATCH, STEVEN	489.47
WISE, KIM	1,227.20
WITHINGTON, HARRY S.	999.33
ZSIDO, NAN	<u>320.96</u>
Total for 2001	114,550.82

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Spafford Cemetery Fund

Received Sept. 4, 1974 - \$2,500.00

Income to be used for care, improvement and
embellishment of Spafford Lots in Spafford Cemetery

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$7,886.51
Interest Income	<u>381.86</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$8,268.37

Balch Cemetery Fund

Received April 5, 1953 - \$200.00

Income to be used for perpetual care of
Clinton E. Balch Lot in Spafford Cemetery

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$203.24
Interest Income	<u>4.00</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$207.24

Austin, Peck, Everest Cemetery Fund

Received November 15, 1982 - \$1,200.00

Income to be used for perpetual care of the
Austin, Peck & Everest Lots - Chippenhook Cemetery

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$3,561.34
Interest Income	<u>266.37</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$3,827.71

Button Cemetery Fund

Received September 21, 1984 - \$2,500.00

Income to be used for perpetual care of the
Button Cemetery

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$6,546.14
Interest Income	<u>334.20</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$6,880.34

Cemetery Trust Funds (continued)

Button Cemetery Fund

Received September 27, 1984- \$500.00

Principal & Interest to be used for extraordinary
repairs and specific floral plantings

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$307.50
Service Charges Reversed	<u>60.00</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$367.50

West Clarendon Cemetery Fund

Income to be from lot sales and used for the
care of the West Clarendon Cemetery

Unexpended Income January 1, 2001	\$3,169.58
Interest Income	<u>152.60</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$3,322.18

West Clarendon Cemetery Fund

Passbook	\$318.33
Service Charges Reversed	<u>60.00</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$378.33

Hayes Cemetery Fund

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$1,895.24
Interest Income	<u>23.24</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$1,918.48

Elizabeth Griswold Trust Fund

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$724.62
Interest Income	8.89
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$733.51

Laura Burnham Trust Fund

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$2,795.28
Interest Income	<u>135.70</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$2,930.98

HISTORICAL PUBLICATIONS FUND

Received September 13, 1991

Funds are the proceeds of Clarendon history book sales

Fund Balance January 1, 2001	\$1,349.16
Interest Income	47.24
Disbursements	<u>0.00</u>
Fund Balance December 31, 2001	\$1,396.40

CLARENDON LIBRARY FUND

\$1,000.00 from Cornelia M. Bailey Will

Permanent fund, income only to be used for book purchases

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$2,138.21
Receipts: Interest from Investments	\$86.76
Disbursements: Trustee Orders - Payable	<u>\$0.00</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$2,224.97

CLARENDON GRANGE FUND

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$7,781.61
Receipts:	275.24
Disbursements:	<u>0.00</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$8,056.85

RECORDS RESTORATION FUND

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$2,919.47
Receipts:	1,783.00
Disbursements:	<u>(64.52)</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$4,637.95

CLARENDON REDC GRANT

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$181.47
Receipts:	0.00
Disbursements:	<u>(181.47)</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$0.00

CLARENDON EAST ROAD GRANT

Balance - January 1, 2001	\$187.34
Receipts - Reversal of 2001 Service Charges	<u>12.66</u>
Balance - December 31, 2001	\$200.00

BOARD OF SELECTMEN ANNUAL REPORT

The year 2001 presented us with the usual challenge of providing the town with well-maintained roads, improvements, and necessary services to a growing community while at the same time maintaining a reasonable tax rate. We have made every attempt to achieve this goal.

We have closed the year with a positive fund balance of \$49,727.99. This was accomplished due to receipt of grant and Federal Emergency Management money as well as other unanticipated revenues. The positive fund balance will be used to reduce the amount to be raised by taxes in 2002. However, the municipal tax rate may increase for three reasons; a fund balance that is less than last year, less revenue from state sources, and the Selectboard's decision to increase funding to the town's equipment fund.

January presented problems resulting from a December storm that washed out town roads. The town applied for, and received, Federal Emergency Management Assistance (FEMA) money which was used to rebuild road areas as needed and to mitigate problem areas. This scenario was repeated in March because of a severe snowstorm. The FEMA money received for both events was \$40,399.54.

Some of the projects accomplished this year were replacement of the bridge on Firehouse Road with a new and more esthetically pleasing bridge. In addition to placement of a new bridge this project included road reconstruction and paving on Firehouse Road and Quarterline Road. The town's cost for bridge construction was 10% of the total cost because of an agreement the town had entered into with the State of Vermont.

With the cooperative spirit of abutting property owners, and \$45,000 in grant money, a new concrete box culvert was placed on East Street and the area adjacent to the new culvert was widened. Once completed, the improvements resulted in increasing the safety of this area.

The planned redecking of Bridge #15 on Walker Mountain Road has been delayed for resolution of right of way problems and non-availability of state funds.

Construction to replace the iron truss bridge located on northern end of Middle Road is planned to begin in 2003 construction season pending resolution of right of way agreements and the availability of federal funds. The majority of the town's funding of this bridge will be taken out of the previously established bridge fund.

As a result of numerous and sometimes fatal accidents at the intersection of Routes US 7 and Vermont 103, we have requested the Vermont Agency of Transportation to initiate a scoping project to determine and implement whatever improvements the scoping project finds necessary to improve the safety at this intersection. We have sought the assistance of our State Representatives, the Rutland Regional Transportation Council, and the Regional Planning Commission to take whatever action is necessary to make this intersection safer for the travelling public.

A listing of the town's highway equipment has shown that much of the equipment is aging and in need of replacement. It is a goal of the Selectboard to budget adequate annual funding of the already established equipment fund thus enabling upgrades of the town's highway equipment over several years. This will result in a minimal impact on the taxpayers in any given year.

The town's Road Commissioner and Road Crew work very diligently, many times in adverse weather conditions, to improve and maintain all of our town roads and we would like to thank them for a job well done.

This past year has seen the Clarendon Grange Community Center in full operation. The grange building houses the Bailey Memorial Library and a community center that provides Clarendon citizens with a senior meal site and other community activities. The community center can also be privately rented for a nominal fee. All rental fees collected are used to offset expenses, maintenance, etc. of the grange building. We encourage town residents to use the resources provided to them by the Bailey Memorial Library and the Clarendon Grange Community Center.

With the assistance of Rutland County Forester, Nathan Fice, logging began in November on the R. Clarke Smith Municipal Forest. Draft horses were utilized to log the area to minimize the negative environmental impacts. The goal of this project is to improve the value of the land, the recreational value of the area, while at the same time providing the town with much needed revenue.

In 2001, we took advantage of fuel prebuy options to minimize the cost of heating fuel for all town buildings for the 2001/2002 heating season. Pending voter approval of the town budget, we intend to replace the 35-year-old furnace at town hall with a new efficient furnace in summer 2002.

Recent procedures adopted by the State of Vermont and banking institutions are making internet connectivity a town necessity and plans are in place to provide internet services to the town office this year. This should result in a more efficient and effective way of doing business. Additionally, we are researching the potential to host a town web site at the Clarendon Town Office by 2003.

We appreciate the dedication of all town employees, elected and appointed officials, who consistently perform their duties in a professional and efficient manner enabling the town to continue to make progress. We would also like to extend our appreciation to Chippenhook Trees and Wreaths for donating and hanging the beautiful Christmas wreath at town hall.

The Selectboard meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays of every month at the Clarendon Town Hall and the public is welcome to attend. We urge town citizens to become involved and attend these meetings and to give the Selectboard your input as we go about making decisions that effect the Clarendon Community. We also urge you to vote at Town Meeting, Tuesday, March 5. Your vote does count.

We extend our sympathies to the victims of the September 11, 2001 bombing of the World Trade Center in New York City, and The Pentagon in Washington, D.C., and applaud the bravery of the victims of United flight 93 that crashed in Somerset, PA.

We wish the citizens of Clarendon a safe, peaceful, and prosperous year 2002.

Respectfully Submitted,
Clarendon Board of Selectmen

Robert Sebasky, Selectboard Chair
Nancy Buffum, Selectboard Clerk
Robert Bixby, Selectman
Michael Klopchin, Selectman
David Potter, Selectman

TOWN CLERK REPORT

Because the interest rates were down, there was a growth in real estate transactions for 2001. Volumes 99,100, 101, 102 103 were completed and 104 was half filled.

Land records taken to Montpelier for microfilming were volumes 99, 100, 101 and 102.

Currently, there are 1,897 registered voters in the Town. The Board of Civil Authority added 53 new voters during the year and 33 previously registered voters were removed due to death or moving out of town.

Remember that you may process your vehicle registration renewals at this office if you have the preprinted form sent to you by the State. You must have a check for the exact registration amount made out to DMV and pay a separate two-dollar fee to the Town.

Respectfully submitted,
Joyce A. Pedone, Town Clerk

2001 VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS	18
DEATHS	19
MARRIAGES	19
CIVIL UNIONS	2

2001 DOG LICENSES

MALES	50	SPECIAL LICENSES	3
FEMALES	33	KENNEL PERMITS	1
NEUTERED MALES	175		
SPAYED FEMALES	258		
TOTAL	494		

Please Note: All dogs six months of age and older shall annually, on or before April 1st, be licensed. A current rabies certificate **must** be provided at the time of licensing, 20 V.S.A. 3581. Late fees and possible fines will be added if not licensed by **April 1st**.

License fees are: Males & Females \$13.00
Neutered Males & Spayed Females \$ 9.00

LISTER'S REPORT

Once again, our common level of appraisal is holding at 97%. This tells us that our assessment value is reflecting true market value. A better measurement of uniformity of appraisal of all properties is the co-efficient of dispersion. By making adjustments to last year's sales, we were able to lower our COD to 10.19%.

The sales of vacant land have increased throughout the Town, reflecting a higher market value than our assessed values. We are doing a study of all sales in the past five years to determine what adjustments are needed.

If you have any concerns pertaining to the assessed value of your property, please contact our office at 775-1536.

Nancy A. Decker
Eleanor Spellman
Arthur W. Knox, Sr.

TOWN CONSTABLE REPORT

As the year 2001 winds to a close, we provide to you the people of Clarendon, this annual report.

As a combined effort, we have responded to a variety of complaints this year. Monthly reports detailing town Constable and Special Police Officers activity is located at the town office.

Some examples of our duties include responding to traffic accidents, suspicious activity, vandalism, vehicle identification number verifications, and assistance to other agencies and more.

Beyond the 200 plus complaints handled by us this year we also provided numerous man hours of professional security throughout the greater Clarendon community. This involved the presence of police at the elementary and high school events and civic events in the area.

Our community was also provided with numerous patrols throughout the year. All officers have several patrols a month in and around the entire town of Clarendon. These patrols involved running radar and in some cases issuing of citations for various traffic infractions. Some of our patrols were an attempt to detect and deter crime in our community.

We saw a couple of changes this year in our area. This includes appointment of a new Animal Control Officer, Robert Minkler. We also have an additional Special Police Officer, Nelson Tift. Officer Tift is an enforcement tool that assists both the constables and the town with periodic traffic enforcement in areas of concern.

The two constables and special officers will continue to bring a professional service to our community throughout the next year.

Thank you for your continued support.

Respectfully Submitted:

Charles Hall, Second Constable

CLARENDON VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION, INC.

As the year 2001 ended, the events of September 11, 2001, are on all our minds. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all the families who suffered a loss in this tragic event.

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department is now 35 members strong. This includes two junior members. We hold our business meetings and training sessions on Tuesday nights at 7:00 P.M.

We responded to 64 calls last year. These calls ranged from fires, car accidents, rescues at the Clarendon gorge, a dog rescue, and other miscellaneous calls.

The new pumper truck is working out very well for us and the town. At the annual Vermont State Fire Convention held in Bennington in July, we brought home, a third place trophy for best appearing apparatus. This made our people very proud.

I would like to thank the people of Clarendon for their help and support. I would also like to thank my officers, the board of trustees, auxiliary, and all fire personnel for their dedication and support and for electing me Chief this year. The past Chief, James Todd, did an excellent job and has assisted me throughout the transition. The Fire Department has worked very hard to make it what it is today.

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department will be hosting an open house at the village station on March 2, 2002. This event will start at noon and will run all afternoon. You are invited to come by and learn about our operation, operating cost, and how much time is invested in training. This is also an opportunity for us to show our children some fire prevention tips. Please stop and have refreshments and meet your fire department personnel.

Respectfully Submitted:

Brian Morgan, Chief
Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department

REMEMBER TO DIAL 911 FOR ALL POLICE, FIRE, AND MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

TOWN FIRE WARDEN REPORT

As the year 2001 ended it proved to be a true learning experience for me, filling my first full year as key person and fire warden.

I issued 165 burn permits for the year 2001; handled 14 complaints; 8 warnings were issued; and I responded with Clarendon Fire Department to 8 brush fires.

Remember that you need a permit for any open outside fire.

Allowable fires include; campfires, bonfires on festive occasions, outside barbecues, leaves, brush, deadwood, tree cuttings and weeds.

Illegal fires include: paper, cardboard, tires and other rubber products, plastics, painted and finished wood and garbage.

When you call for a burn permit I will be asking for the following information:

name
911 address
phone number where you can be reached

I would like to thank Fire Chiefs; Jim Todd and Brian Morgan and the Clarendon Vol. Fire Dept for their assistance and support and my family for answering the phone and taking messages when I was not at home.

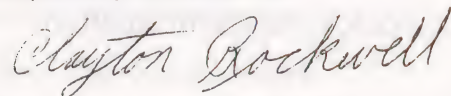
For a burn permit or any other questions or complaints, please call:

Clayton Rockwell, Fire Warden @ 775-2074
Key persons: Brian Morgan @ 773-1791
Jason Rockwell @ 775-2074
James Todd

To report a fire dial 911

Once again thank you for the opportunity to serve our great community.

Respectfully submitted by:



Clayton Rockwell, Fire Warden

CLARENDON GRANGE COMMUNITY CENTER

The Clarendon Grange Community Center has completed its first full year of operation. The community increasingly looks to the Center for a place to hold both personal functions and for groups to meet.

This past year many local groups have met here. These include: Girl Scouts, Mill River Union High School Tutorial program and Rutland Area Visiting Nurses hold a monthly clinic for foot care and blood pressure testing. We are the site for distribution of information about: Food programs, Food stamps, Senior commodities and BROCCOMMODITIES. We participate in "Elders On The Go" the Seniors transportation program in Rutland County.

Several new groups have used the Center this year. They are: The Shrewsbury Chamber Music Society Choral Group hold their weekly rehearsal here. There was a 10 week session of Tai Chi classes and they have contracted for another 10 week session, starting in January. On November 15, 2001, we started holding the RSVP Bone Builders class. This is the Osteoporosis exercise program. It is scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday at 1:00 PM. These classes are free and open to all. We have also added another meal, the first Tuesday of every month. To get more details about any of these programs call: 773-2926

Volunteer workers did a variety of tasks, were of great assistance. They cleaned the lawn around the Center, scrubbed the front porch and walk and did other "spring cleaning". Carl and Carrie Viles have donated hours of computer time to produce flyers, letters, etc. David Murray and Bob Bixby have added manual labor, moving heavy tables and chairs. Through donations we were able to provide carpet pieces at the places most needed to pick up salt, sand and snow in order to protect the beautiful floors.

Another important source of revenue has been through grants. This year we were awarded two grants, first \$550 from General Electric Employees Community Concerns Fund, used to install the first two ceiling fans in the ballroom. The second grant was awarded by Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging. Their "Successful Aging Program" awarded to the Thursday Senior Meal Site a grant of \$400. The group had previously voted to use it for the last two fans. At this point the "fan project" is completed. We also ran a fundraiser in conjunction with the town-wide Garage Sale, we had a craft show and raised \$95. I keep records of the Center's usage. This includes: Number of rentals, Events by non-profits, the hours that was used and the number of people served. As you look at the hours used and the number of people served, we can see that the dream so many people shared over the years is becoming a reality.

Community use:	
Rentals	38
Community Organizations	90
Hours used	3240
Number of people served	5590

Revenue:	
Income from Rentals (includes fund-raising)	\$2854
Income from Grants	\$950
Total income	\$3804

Respectfully Submitted
Gwen McGrath
Coordinator

Bailey Memorial Library Annual Report

This year was very exciting for us at the Bailey Memorial Library. We received two grants this year. The first was from Gateway. We received \$8600.00 for the purchase of two Gateway computers and equipment. Both are now up and running. Our second grant was the Vermont Public Library Foundation. We received \$7500.00 this year and will receive the same amount next year.

Our summer reading program was a great success this year. It was entitled "Wild About Reading." It was put on by Laurie Adams, a student at Mill River. She put the entire program together herself and did a great job. Thank you Laurie!

Open days were 201 this year.
Memberships are up now to 969.
Books checked out this year totaled 2023.
53 new books were purchased.
As well as audio and video tapes were purchased.

Dorothy Barnes is our librarian
Warren Lackey - assistant

2001 Budget

Payroll	8,650.00
Telephone	720.00
Books	2,000.00
Supplies	575.00
Computer programs	500.00
Workman's Comp.	250.00
Basic furnishings	800.00
Totaling	13,495.00

Trustees
David Murray- President
Kathy Woods- Vice Pres.
Paula Bonazinga- Treasurer
Phyllis Rockwell- Secretary
Susan Jepson
Robert Sebaski
Diane Chartrand
Linda Adams

Library Hours: Tues-Thurs 12-5 Sat 9-2

Respectfully submitted

Phyllis Rockwell
Phyllis Rockwell- Secretary



Business: 802-773-1746
Emergency: 802-773-1700
FAX: 802-773-1717

REGIONAL AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC.

275 Stratton Road
Rutland, VT 05701

18th ANNUAL REPORT

(Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2001)
18 Years of Service 1983 - 2001

To the Honorable Citizens of the Town of Clarendon, VT:

We are pleased to present our 18th annual report to the Citizens we serve. Regional Ambulance Service, Inc. has continually provided emergency and non-emergency ambulance service for seventeen years. From 1983 to the end of this year Regional has responded to 77,261 ambulance calls. This past year, ending June 30, 2001, the service responded to a total of 6,349 ambulance calls in our 12 communities and an additional 1,234 "Medic One" paramedic intercept calls.

Call volume increased by 685 calls over the previous year. **We commend our staff for keeping up with the increased demand and for providing excellent service.** We are also very pleased to congratulate Kandis Holden for being honored as our "Star" at the American Ambulance Association's Star of Life celebration and James Collins for receiving the Vermont Paramedic of the Year award.

With the continued support of the citizens, our employees, and community governing bodies, we have been able to level fund or lower our assessment rate for the past 17 years. Our current assessment rate is \$4.75 per capita. The public support of our Membership program, direct donations, memorials and estate gifts has been vital to our continued success. We extend our appreciation to everyone for their support.

This past year one of our ambulances was hit in the side and the vehicle was totaled. Thankfully our personnel were not hurt. This forced us to rent an ambulance until the new ambulance is built and delivered. Two other ambulance boxes had been remounted on new chassis, saving over \$40,000, and due to the higher call volume, we have added a 6th ambulance.

Our motto "Serving People First with Pride, Proficiency and Professionalism" is demonstrated by our employee's commitment to continuing EMS training. Each year we have special training in Critical Care Paramedicine, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Basic Life Support, Prehospital Advanced Trauma Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support, Emergency Vehicle Operator, Bloodborn Pathogen and a variety of continuing education programs. Our professional staff is extremely capable and dedicated.

Monthly C.P.R. classes are taught at Regional Ambulance. Last year, through the R.A.S. Training Center, 1,107 people were certified in C.P.R. Tours, lectures, demonstrations, and C.P.R. classes are available for the general public. For further information call 773-1746.

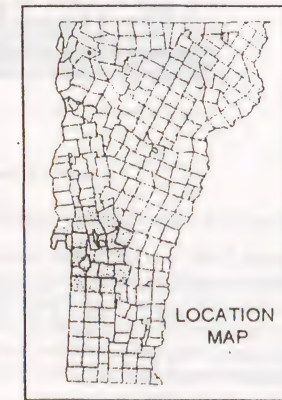
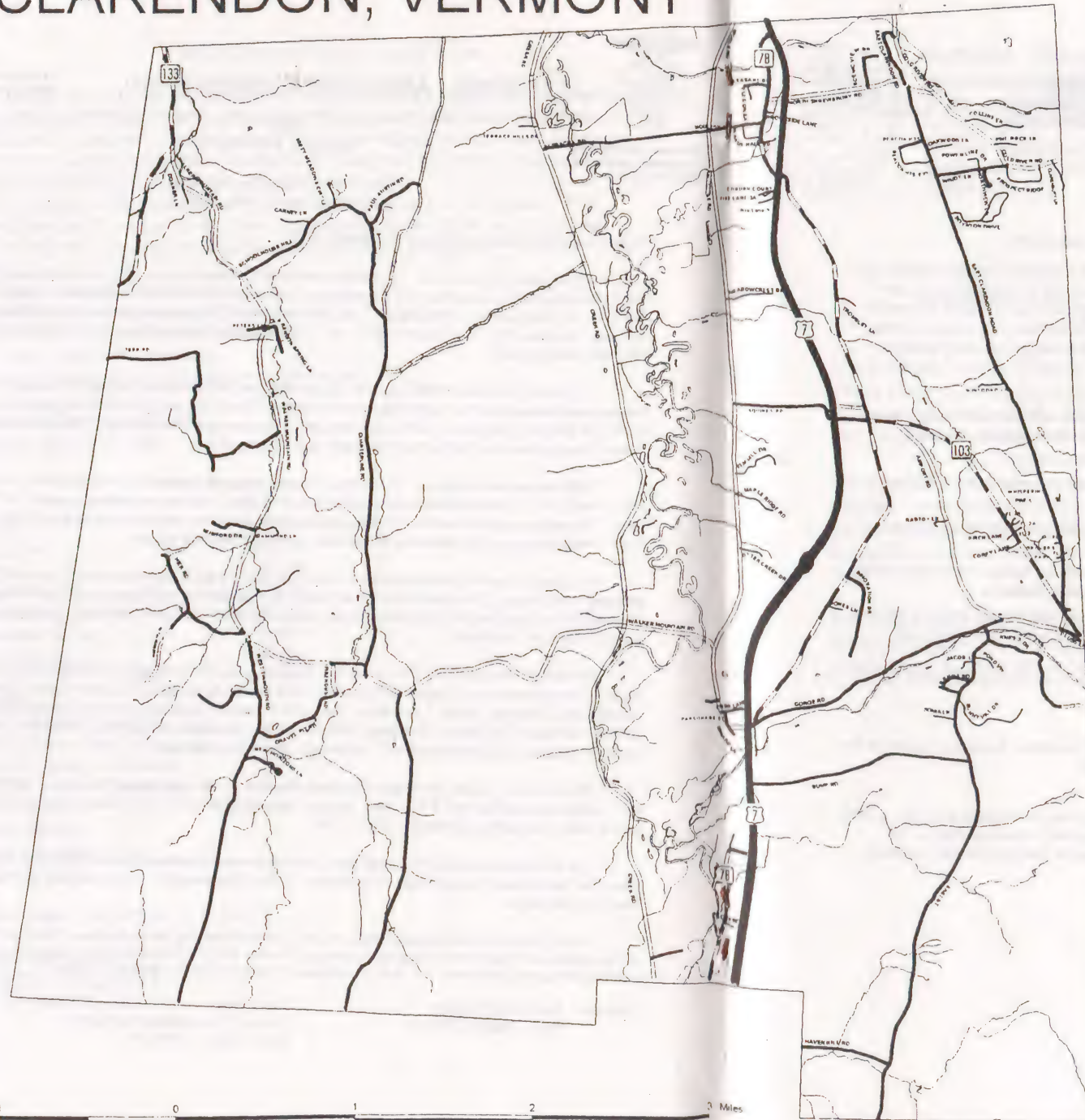
The public is encouraged to visit and talk to the employees and Administrator at our Stratton Road facility. Please feel free to contact James Finger, Administrator, or your Representative, if you have any questions concerning the service.

We are proud of our accomplishments and look forward to serving you in the future. The Board of Directors, Administration and employees of Regional Ambulance Service, Inc. will continue working to provide the highest quality of emergency ambulance care at the lowest possible cost to all of the citizens we serve.

Sincerely; Paul Kulig, President
R.A.S. Board of Directors

Doris Weeks,
Town of Clarendon Representative
R.A.S. Board of Directors

CLARENDON, VERMONT



LEGEND

- Building Structures
- Road Class**
 - US Highway
 - VT State Highway
 - Town Class 2
 - Town Class 3
 - Town Class 4
 - Private\Unknown Road



JANUARY, 2000



802-775-0568
FAX: 802-775-2304
Toll Free: 800-244-0568
Referrals: 802-770-1555



A Comprehensive Medicare Certified Home Health Agency

7 Albert Cree Drive
Mailing Address:
Post Office Box 787
Rutland, VT 05702-0787

Town of Clarendon

TO THE TOWN MANAGER, OFFICERS AND CITIZENS OF CLARENDON:

This past year in home health care has been as dynamic and challenging as any the Rutland Area Visiting Nurse Association & Hospice (RAVNAH) has faced in our 54 year history. We are proud to say that RAVNAH is a "survivor." Since the introduction of the Balanced Budget Act (BBA) of 1997, we have seen revenues decrease two million dollars and visit volume decrease 40%. Over 30% of home health agencies did not survive the devastating cuts and regulatory burdens of the Balanced Budget Act.

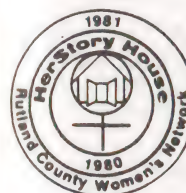
Despite the turmoil in the home care industry, RAVNAH continues to be a viable organization with a bright future. We are proud to report on a number of successes we have achieved:

- Provided over 88,800 home care visits to 2,424 individual patients.
- Worked collaboratively with our partners in the community in increasing flu vaccinations 56% in people over the age of 65.
- Expanded our Support Services program through a \$117,000 grant from the Department of Aging and Disability.
- Launched the Vermont Medication Bridge Program to assist low income Vermonters obtain free or low cost prescription drugs from the nation's drug manufacturers.
- Established the Going Home Program, a collaborative effort with Rutland Regional Medical Center, that will increase the percentage of patients going home who otherwise would be waiting for nursing home placement.
- And for the second time achieved successful accreditation by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations.

RAVNAH continues to keep its promise of providing quality healthcare to our community. In the town of Clarendon we provided 2,923 visits to 83 individuals.

To the individuals and organizations of the town of Clarendon that have supported us during 2000, we are truly thankful. With your support, RAVNAH will continue to meet our mission "to enhance the quality of life of all we serve through comprehensive home and community health services."

Again, we say thank you for your support.



Rutland County Women's Network & Shelter

P.O. Box 313
Rutland, Vermont 05702
Business • 775-6788
Crisis • 775-3232

RUTLAND COUNTY WOMEN'S NETWORK AND SHELTER ANNUAL REPORT 2001

The Rutland County Women's Network and Shelter is a non-profit agency working within Rutland County to provide safety and support services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. We have been in Rutland County for over 22 years serving men, women and children who live in danger.

This year has been a very busy year at the shelter. We housed 59 families with 66 children. In addition to sheltering, we gave services to 3000 people. Our services include counseling, group work, help with relocating, a 24 hour crisis line for both domestic violence and rape, and many other support services that help to keep a family safe.

The families, volunteers and staff of the shelter thank the voters of Clarendon for their continued support of our program. Because of that help we are able to provide effective programs and services for survivors and their families.



SOUTHWESTERN VERMONT COUNCIL ON AGING
Report to the Citizens of Clarendon

This report provides information about the different ways the Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging helped elders in Clarendon during the past year. These included:

Senior Meals: The Council provided major funding support for home delivered meals served to 14 elder residents of Clarendon. This funding helped supply 1,562 meals that were prepared and delivered to the homes of older persons in your community who were homebound and in need of meal support. This service is provided through contract and is often called "Meals on Wheels". We also provided "Blizzard Bags" to Meals on Wheels participants and other isolated elders in your community. These bags contained shelf-stable meals for use in a weather related or other emergency situation. In addition, 61 elders participated at one or more of the senior luncheon sites available in our region, enjoying 1,383 meals.

Case Management Assistance: 30 elders were served by Case Management staff who provided help with applications, recertifications and problem solving around programs such as Fuel Assistance, SSI, Medicaid, Medicaid Waiver, Food Stamps, etc. Case Managers also assisted frail elders with long term care needs, helping those who wished to remain independent explore available options and connect with vitally important services and supports.

Other Services The Council on Aging also provided: 1) Telephone support through our "Senior Helpline" (786-5991 or 1-800-642-5119). This provided easy phone access to elders, family members and others in need of information about available services and supports; 2) Mental health and emotional support through our Elder Service Clinician and Peer to Peer volunteers; 3) Health benefit counseling information and form filing assistance through our HICA Program; 4) Legal service support through a contract with the Senior Law Project; 5) Information about elder issues through the "Elder Connection" column appearing weekly in the Rutland Herald, written by Barbara Hanson; 6) Transportation assistance through Elders on the Go and the One-2-One Program; 7) Senior Companion Program which provided volunteers who received a modest stipend to provide support to homebound elders in need of special attention.



In the year 2001, 25 towns in Rutland County supported the work of Rutland Mental Health Services through town giving. Our agency is committed to providing quality services regardless of an individual's ability to pay. The generous support of towns such as Clarendon assures that quality services are available for their families, friends and neighbors. Town giving dollars support services which include:

- Individual Counseling for Children, Adults and Families
- Substance Abuse Treatment Services
- Emergency/Crisis Services

During fiscal year 2001, Rutland Mental Health Services provided 1,542 hours of services to 64 Clarendon residents.* We value our partnership with the Town of Clarendon in providing these much needed services and thank you for your continued support.

Mark G. Monson

President and Chief Executive Officer

*The above statistics reflect a change in data collection in compliance with State of Vermont reporting requirements. Please contact Rutland Mental Health Services if you have any questions.



VERMONT LEAGUE OF CITIES AND TOWNS UPDATE OF ACTIVITIES, 2001

The Vermont League of Cities and Towns (VLCT) was organized 34 years ago to meet the education, advocacy, and group purchasing needs of cities and towns in Vermont. Proudly, today we are still a member-driven organization independent of state and federal government. We continue to depend on the membership of local governments for our sole support. Cities and towns around the state thank you for that support again this year. We are governed by a thirteen member board of directors, all of whom are local officials. This year Bill Shepeluk, Municipal Manager in Waterbury, is president of VLCT.

If you are newly elected this Town Meeting, congratulations! Please plan to use VLCT as a resource.

VLCT puts considerable effort into providing education for its members, an effort that is increasing in 2002. In addition, VLCT provides handbooks on specific subjects to guide local officials in the discharge of their responsibilities. Staff travel on request to member towns to provide technical assistance on topics such as insurance packages, personnel recruitment, mediation and negotiation. Thousands of questions are answered every year from virtually every member municipality about almost any local government subject you can imagine. The *VLCT News* and *Weekly Legislative Report* provide municipal officials with up-to-date legislative coverage along with articles of special interest on topics such as workplace safety, court cases affecting local governments, and municipal planning and zoning. Interested persons may access that information and much more through VLCT's web site (www.vlct.org).

VLCT offers to municipalities insurance "trust" programs that save local taxpayer dollars every year because member municipalities pool their resources to purchase insurance coverage. In 2000 and 2001, the VLCT Health Trust held insurance rate increases to 10%, well below statewide trends, thus saving member municipalities hundreds of thousands of dollars. The VLCT Property and Casualty Intermunicipal Fund (PACIF) returned another \$412,000 to its 232 member municipalities, and the VLCT Unemployment Insurance Trust returned \$188,000 to its members.

VLCT also represents the interests of local government in the Legislature, using VLCT's *Vermont Municipal Policy*. This policy is developed by four committees of local officials and adopted by vote of member cities and towns at the VLCT annual meeting, held September 27, 2001 in Killington. Each city and town is entitled to a vote at the annual or any special meetings.

ENHANCED 9-1-1 BOARD REPORT

Statewide System Operations

The following information is from the period 1 January 2001 to 30 November 2001.

Total 9-1-1 Calls Received	187,173
Total Cellular 9-1-1 Calls Received	49,097
Total Abandoned 9-1-1 Calls	9% of total (average)
Average Time to Answer	4 seconds

The enhanced 9-1-1 network continues to perform within established benchmarks.

The E-911 Board has installed two new Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) at the Rutland and Rockingham State Police Barracks. The 9-1-1 service area is the same as the State Police consolidated dispatch service area. Preexisting arrangements for police, fire and EMS dispatch are not affected. The Department of Public Safety now operates three PSAPs under the oversight of the E-911 Board. Six other PSAPs are located at Springfield PD, Hartford PD, Montpelier PD, Lamoille County Sheriff, Saint Albans PD, and Shelburne PD.

Please Post Your House Numbers

The E-911 Board continues to hear from local emergency responders that many people have not yet posted their 9-1-1 addresses on their businesses and homes. If you have not already done so, please post your 9-1-1 address where it can be seen by responders, even at night. Some neighborhoods have a confusing mixture of old and new numbers, so if you have not taken down your old number and replaced it with your new number, please do so right away. Your life or that of someone you love may depend on it.

ANNUAL REPORT - 2001
RUTLAND REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

The Commission's Mission is to *"provide leadership and technical expertise to encourage cooperative planning with and among the region's communities and area wide interests; and, strive to improve the quality of life for people in the region by promoting harmony between sustainable economic development, environmental interests and other planning issues."*

In pursuit of that Mission, the Commission continued to work closely with the region's 27 communities to create a cooperative and positive planning process and:

- Provided technical assistance on community development issues - including planning, zoning, mapping, build-out analysis, subdivision - to Benson, Brandon, Clarendon, Castleton, Danby, Middletown Springs, Hubbardton, Fair Haven, Pawlet, Pittsford, Proctor, Poultney, Rutland City, Rutland Town, Shrewsbury, Sudbury, Tinmouth, Wallingford, Wells and West Rutland.
- Assisted Hubbardton, Poultney, Rutland City, Wallingford, Rutland Town and communities within the Solid Waste Alternatives Committee, apply successfully for funds through the Municipal Planning Grant program.
- Continued our very successful cooperative purchasing program which has saved the towns of Chittenden, Hubbardton, Ira, Killington, Pawlet, Shrewsbury, Tinmouth, Wells and West Rutland as well as in Castleton, Clarendon, Danby, Fair Haven, Hubbardton, Ira, Mendon, Middletown Springs, Poultney, Rutland City, Shrewsbury, Tinmouth, Wallingford, Wells, substantial amounts on their fuel oil, diesel and gasoline.
- Continued support of the Rutland Region Transportation Council in their planning for the future transportation needs of the Rutland Region and closely cooperated on the preparation of an updated Rutland Region Transportation Plan.
- Greatly expanded the capacity of the GIS [geographic information system] to provide expanded mapping, data, and community analysis.
- Worked with the Rutland Economic Development Corporation, and the Rutland Region Chamber of Commerce on a regional strategy to better coordinate community development, economic development and travel and tourism activities.
- Revised and re-adopted the Rutland Regional Plan.
- Assisted communities with emergency management planning.
- Hired additional staff to better serve the Region's communities.
- Continued to offer training programs to municipal officials and to pay for those program related to planning and zoning and other community development issues.

RUTLAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Ever since its beginning in 1937, REDC has sought to bring together local business and community members to improve the Rutland region. From our first project to provide parking for downtown merchants to the many loans we currently provide to local business owners, we have remained committed to the concept that the standard of living and quality of life of the region's citizens can best be served by a vibrant, healthy economy, sensitive to the environment and preservation of our cultural heritage.

Our goal, therefore, is to attract and retain businesses that will provide quality job opportunities so that all of our citizens benefit. By working with companies to find suitable buildings in which to grow, obtaining state tax credits, and financing through various means, REDC helps many small businesses grow and prosper in Rutland County. Our partnership with the Small Business Development Center (SBDC) and Vermont Manufacturing Extension Center (VMEC) means that we can support these small businesses even further with other services that will increase their efficiency and profitability.

More information about our many services is available on our website at www.rutlandeconomy.com or by e-mailing us at redc@rutlandeconomy.com.

RUTLAND REGION TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL

The Rutland Region Transportation Council provides a forum for the development of regional transportation policies and priorities and coordinates the implementation of those policies and priorities with the Vermont Agency of Transportation. It is one of 12 regional "transportation advisory committees" (TACs) that VTrans relies upon for local information and opinion. The financial support for the Council comes from State and federal funds. The Rutland Regional Planning Commission provides planning, administrative, and geographic information system staff to the Council.

Over the past year the Rutland Region Transportation Council has:

- **Adopted** a revised **Rutland Region Transportation Plan** in cooperation with the Rutland Regional Planning Commission;
- Continued to **address seasonal transportation problems** along VT 103, VT 100, and US 4;
- Continued to **assess Rutland Region's top transportation problems** and identified areas that should undergo further evaluation; from a regional perspective, improvements to the Route 7 and 4 corridors are always high priorities;
- Assisted in the **Brandon/Pittsford Bypass Scoping Study** providing social and economic information on the impact of alternative bypass routes;
- Commented on VTrans' Capital Budget and Program;
- Developed a **database** of conditions on the region's State and Class 1 highways to facilitate decisions on **access management**;
- Worked with representatives from Rutland City and Rutland Town to identify **measures to improve US 4 and US 7** in those communities;
- Helped collect **local traffic data** using the Commission's automated traffic counters which are available for use by communities;
- Began development of a program to **assist towns with road inventories** by providing some equipment along with information on a variety of inventory methods. This will include GPS of transportation facilities - culverts, bridges, highway problem areas;
- Informed communities of opportunities presented by new state transportation programs;
- Published and distributed reports, bulletins, fliers, and newsletters; and
- Maintained the Council's web page - www.rutlandrpc.org and click on "Transportation Council".

RUTLAND COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
DISTRICT MANAGER
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RUTLAND COUNTY MRF
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RUTLAND, VT 05701-3855
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ANNUAL REPORT - CALENDAR YEAR 2001

The Rutland County Solid Waste District offers a variety of solid waste, recycling, waste education, household hazardous waste, composting and administrative support programs for our sixteen member municipalities. Some services are also available to non-District communities on a fee-for-service basis. In addition, the District operates a regional drop-off center and transfer station at Gleason Road in Rutland City. District program, facility and rate information is now available on our web site, rcswd.com.

Waste Disposal: During 2001, residents and businesses in our member municipalities disposed of approximately 35,000 tons of municipal solid waste, nearly all of it through the District's master disposal contract with Casella Waste Management. For most of the year, the cost of disposal, handling and transportation from the District Transfer Station at Gleason Road to the landfill was \$66.57 per ton. State taxes, district surcharge and the Rutland City Host Community Fee totaled \$23.97, for a final disposal cost of \$90.54 per ton.

Recycling: The District owns a Material Recovery Facility (MRF), or recycling center, off West Street in Rutland City. The MRF accepts seventeen recyclable commodities for processing and sale for re-use. Commodities include fibers such as cardboard, newspaper and office paper; three colors of glass; plastics such as milk jugs and laundry detergent bottles (#2 HDPE), soda bottles (#1 PETE), plus tin and aluminum cans. Last year 10,718 tons of recyclables were processed at the MRF.

Household Hazardous Waste: Rutland County Solid Waste District operates an extensive Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) program for district residents. The program operates year-round from the Gleason Road facility, and scheduled collections at twenty town transfer stations on Saturdays between spring and fall. Not including used motor oil, tires and asbestos, which the District also accepts at Gleason Road, the HHW program collected 7,370 gallons of everything from anti-freeze to pesticides, 12,062 linear feet of fluorescent tubes and 27,096 pounds of computer and electronics in 2001. To encourage proper disposal of these items, there is no charge to District residents for HHW services, except for electronics. Last year 1,078 Rutland County households delivered hazardous waste for safe disposal through this program. District waste surcharge fees paid for \$46,000 of the \$78,000 cost of this program.

**THE VERMONT CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING
SUMMARY FOR TOWN OF CLARENDON ANNUAL REPORT**

The Vermont Center for Independent Living (VCIL) teaches people with significant disabilities how to gain more control over their lives and how to access tools and services to live more independently. We also conduct public education and systems change activities that promote the full inclusion of disabled people into community life.

An estimated one in five Vermonters has a disability. The Vermont Center for Independent Living, a private not-for-profit corporation, is Vermont's first and only cross-disability center for independent living and the first organization in the state to be directed and staffed by a majority of people with diverse disabilities.

Statewide, in FY 2001, from October 1, 2000 through September 30, 2001, VCIL responded to almost 1,600 requests from individuals, agencies and community groups for information and referrals on a broad range of subjects related to living with a disability. We provided one-on-one peer counseling to 76 individuals to help increase their independent living skills and life opportunities; provided almost 500 households with financial and technical assistance for making their bathrooms and entrances accessible to a disabled family member; provided over 150 individuals with personal assistance and/or assistive technology; provided communications equipment to 227 Deaf, hard-of-hearing or speech-impaired individuals through our Telecommunications Equipment Distribution Program, and served home-delivered meals to almost 300 Vermonters through VCIL's Meals On Wheels program for Individuals Under 60 with Disabilities.

VCIL's main office is in downtown Montpelier with three smaller regional offices in Bennington, Brattleboro and Burlington. The Montpelier office houses our resource library and our toll-free information line, which provides answers to disability related questions from every Vermont community. Our locally based Peer Advocacy Counselors are available to people with disabilities in every municipality in Vermont.

During FY 2001, VCIL provided direct services to 11 residents of Clarendon utilizing the following services/programs: Information and Referral, the Home Access Program, the Sue Williams Freedom Fund, and the Vermont Telecommunications Equipment Distribution Program.

To learn more about VCIL, please call us toll-free at 1-800-639-1522 or visit our new web site at www.vcil.org.

Rutland Natural Resources Conservation District
170 S. Main St. - Rutland, VT 05701 - Phone (802) 775-7192, Ext. 17

December 28, 2001

Select Board, Town Clerk, and Auditors for the Town of Clarendon
P.O. Box 30
N. Clarendon, VT 05759-0030

Dear Sir or Madam,

As in previous years, we are asking for your support of our many natural resources conservation projects. A contribution of \$75.00 per town would be a major help for our 2002 program.

We have had a very busy year working on issues of importance to Rutland County landowners. In 2002 we will be focusing on two very important conservation issues.

1. Watershed planning for Otter Creek and its tributaries.
2. Preserving family farms and the working landscape.

The District receives a limited amount of funds from the State each year and would greatly appreciate any help that you could provide. We are not able to petition each of the towns within our area, so we ask that this \$75.00 contribution be included in the select board's budget.

We hope this letter finds your community closing out a good 2001 and putting together plans for a prosperous 2002. We look forward to working with you regarding natural resource issues.

Enclosed you will find our FY 2001 annual report to include in your town report. We would appreciate your including at least the abbreviated version of our annual report in your town report.

Please feel free to contact Nanci McGuire our District Manager at 775-7192 ext. 17 with any questions or concerns. We are here as a resource and look forward to helping meet the needs of your community.

Our best for the New Year!

Sincerely,

Marshall F. Reed

Marshall F. Reed; Chairman



The Volunteer Center

39 East Center Street, Rutland, Vermont 05701 • (802) 775-8220 • Fax: (802) 775-8221 • E-mail: rsvprutind@aol.com • TTY/TDD: 800-253-0191

REQUEST FOR TOWN FUNDING TOWN OF: NORTH CLARENDON AMOUNT REQUESTED: \$385.00

RSVP is an "Invitation to Serve" program for people of all ages who want to meet community needs through meaningful use of their skills, talents, interests and knowledge in volunteer service to non-profit organizations. Needs are met in critical areas such as human service, health, state and local government, education, literacy, and the arts, just to name a few. RSVP involves individuals in service that matches their personal interests and makes use of their varied life and professional experiences. Through such efforts, RSVP is meeting the needs that strained local budgets cannot afford. RSVP enables people to contribute to their communities and feel good about themselves through the rewarding experience of volunteering. Additionally, over the past 3 years RSVP has implemented new programming to address pressing community needs. These programs include an America Reads program aimed at enhancing literacy among elementary school children and an Osteoporosis Exercise Program which provides free exercise classes with RSVP volunteer instructors to Rutland County residents.

Locally, RSVP is the largest program of coordinated volunteer services serving the people of Rutland County with 538 volunteers. From July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2001, volunteers in Rutland County provided 68,895 hours of community service. The cost benefit to the communities of Rutland County in terms of cost of services provided equals \$957,640.

Once again this year RSVP is not asking for additional monies from the Town of North Clarendon. The monies we are requesting this year will be used to help defray costs of providing volunteer placements, support, insurance, transportation, and recognition. RSVP continues to strive to provide needed and supplemental services that enhance the quality of life for citizens of all ages throughout Rutland County.

Currently in North Clarendon, 11 volunteers donate their services to the following non-profit organizations: Rutland Regional Medical Center, Mill River Union High School, Clarendon Elementary School, Eden Park, RSVP Goodtime Singers, RSVP Rutland Senior Chorus, Godnick Senior Center, Rutland Free Library, RAVNA and Hospice, VT Dept. Of Health, Southwest Vermont Council on Aging, Genesis Elder Care, Northwest and Northeast Elementary Schools, Rutland High School, Loretto Home, Pleasant Manor Nursing Home, Crossroads Arts Council, One-2-One, Bridges Program, Rutland Area Art Association, Rutland Economic Development Association, Association of Retarded Citizens, Rutland City Police.

The volunteer services they provide include: knitting and sewing clothes for children and elders, entertaining elders and youngsters through song, information desk clerk and couriating at the hospital, delivering and preparing meals, preparing mailings, library aide, tutoring and mentoring students, friendly visitations to elders, surveying.

On behalf of RSVP, I would like to thank the residents of North Clarendon for their support in the continuation of the RSVP program. As financial constraints effect more and more non-profit organizations, the need for volunteers increases. With your help, RSVP will continue to respond to this need.

Sincerely,

Nan M. Hart

Nan M. Hart, Director

Rutland County Community Land Trust, Inc. Year 2001 Activity in Clarendon

The Rutland County Community Land Trust is very grateful to the taxpayers of the Town of Clarendon for approving the Town's contribution of \$500 in 2001. This contribution was a significant demonstration of the Town's support of the RCCLT's efforts to affordably house the region's residents.

In Clarendon in 2001, the RCCLT finalized its activity with the East Road Mobile Home Park project. This primarily involved clearing all of the remaining homes and debris in the park, as well as closing out the grant.

In addition to its efforts with the mobile home park, the RCCLT has assisted Clarendon residents with the purchase of their own homes, and has focused some of its efforts on new rental housing development in other parts of the greater Rutland Region.

The Rutland County Community Land Trust is available for assistance to Clarendon residents in need of safe, decent and affordable housing. RCCLT staff can refer homeowners, renters and those seeking to buy or rent to programs available in the community, as well as provide direct service for the purchase of homes and rental of apartments. If you or someone you know is in a housing crisis, call us. We can be reached at 775-3139 or stop by our offices at 128 Merchants Row, 6th Floor, Rutland, Vermont.

Again, we thank Clarendon's taxpayers for their gracious support in 2001. We hope you will continue your support of our efforts. Please vote "YES" again for the Rutland County Community Land Trust!

**TOWN OF CLARENDON
CLARENDON SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORT**

Operating Account

Treasurer's Report of Cash Receipts & Disbursements

Balance July 1, 2000 \$ 11,687.64

Receipts

Revenue	
Local State Education Tax	693,407.00
General State Support Grant	3,014,969.00
Transportation	72,622.00
Tuition	70,944.00
Special Education	418,823.00
Interest on Investments	25,869.00
Other Revenue	75,518.00
Total Revenue Receipts	<u>4,372,152.00</u>

Disbursements

Total Orders	4,436,183.00
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 4,436,183.00</u>

Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures (64,031.00)

Net Adjustments 310,357.83

Ending Cash Balance June 30, 2001 \$ 246,326.83

SINKING FUND

BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 2001

CURRENT ASSETS

CASH

Savings Account \$7,893.96

Receivable \$2,500.00

TOTAL ASSETS **\$10,393.96**

LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE

FUND BALANCE \$10,393.96

TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE **\$10,393.96**

STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND

CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

For the Year Ended June 30, 2001

REVENUE

Receivable From School District \$2,500.00

Interest Income 166.44

TOTAL REVENUE 2,666.44

EXPENDITURES

Transfer to School District 0.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES 0.00

REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES 2,666.44

FUND BALANCE ON July 1, 2000 7,727.52

FUND BALANCE ON June 30, 2001 **\$10,393.96**

**CLARENDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANNUAL REPORT
(Financial Reports: July 1, 2000 to June 30, 2001)**

PERSONNEL: (School Year 2001-2002)

SCHOOL BOARD	Date Term Expires
Leland Congdon, Chair.....	2002
Doug Earle, Clerk.....	2003
Mary Johnson.....	2003
Mark Raub.....	2004
Michael Stimpfel.....	2002
Mill River Board: Robert Hodge.....	2002
Mill River Board: Thomas O'Brien.....	2004
Mill River Board: Allan Sylvester.....	2003

ADMINISTRATION AND SPECIAL SERVICES

W. Richard Brothers.....	Superintendent of Schools
David Mandel.....	Clarendon Principal
Wendy Savery.....	RSSU Director of Special Services
Brian Turbitt.....	RSSU Business Manager
Beverly Darling.....	Speech Pathologist/EE
Ruth Kinne.....	Early Education Teacher
Kathy Faulkner.....	Early Education Teacher Assistant
Kim LaFaso.....	Early Education Teacher Assistant

TEACHERS

Judith Lawry	Kindergarten	27 yrs	BA + 24
Monika Loyzelle	Grade 1/2	21 yrs.	BS + 31
Anne Mero	Grade 1 (Long Term Sub)		
Patricia McLaughlin	Grade 1/2	26 yrs.	MA + 42
Neva Pratico	Grade 1/2	25 yrs.	MA + 34
Theresa Jakubowski	Grade 2	16 yrs.	BA + 30
Frances Kelley	Grade 3	21 yrs.	BA + 56
Joan Lind	Grade 3	30 yrs.	MA + 32
Denice Gonyea	Grade 4	30 yrs.	MA + 33
Christine Redman	Grade 4	2 yrs	BA + 34
Robert Snarski	Grade 4	31 yrs.	MA + 33
Pamela Hidde	Grade 5	33 yrs.	MA + 38
Janice McCoy	Grade 5	16 yrs.	BA + 15
Lawrence Schiller	Grade 5	27 yrs.	BA + 45
Anthony DiEmidio	Grade 6	4 yrs.	MA
Kimberly Moore	Grade 6	3 yrs.	BA + 45
Thomas Smith	Grade 6	16 yrs.	MA + 17
Paula Bliss	Physical Ed	12 yrs	MA
Clare Bornarth-Villars	Art	16 yrs.	MA + 19
Diane Chartrand	Library/Media	21 yrs.	MA + 42
Alice Day-Aparicio	Guidance	13 yrs.	MA + 15
Gretchen Doiron	Music	21 yrs.	BA + 23

TEACHERS (continued)

Shirley Loomis	Title I	30 yrs.	BA + 33
Kathleen Maher	Health Education	15 yrs.	MA + 30
Ann Reed	Music	8 yrs.	MA + 12
Susan Mordecai	Special Education	1 yr	MA
Jeffrey Phelps	Special Education	6 yrs.	BA + 15
Bonnie Pritchard	Special Education	2 yrs	BA

PERSONNEL: (School Year 2001-2002)

Linda Adams	Library Assistant
Bridget Bowen	Special Education Teacher Assistant
Christine Carlson	Individual Sp. Ed. Assistant
Deborah Raleigh Cecot, R. N., NCSN	School Nurse
Tracy Fitzgerald	Special Education Teacher Assistant
Margie Flanders	Housekeeping
Melinda Forrest	Individual Sp. Ed. Assistant
Kristal Gibbs	Individual Sp. Ed. Assistant
Tina Hadley	Special Education Teacher Assistant
Carolyn Hanrahan	Classroom Teacher Assistant
Joli Hill	Special Education Teacher Assistant
Bruce Holt	Supt. of Maintenance
Jean Murray	School Secretary
Kathleen Schiller	Individual Sp. Ed. Assistant
Mary Senecal	Cafeteria
Bernard Spencer	Bus Driver
Herbert Spencer	Bus Driver
Kandy Thomas	Individual Sp. Ed. Assistant

ENROLLMENTS:

Grade	Actual 1999-2000	Actual 2000-2001	Actual 2001-2002	Estimated 2002-2003
K	28	19	26	25
1	24	21	26	27
2	30	27	34	27
3	41	34	36	35
4	45	42	33	37
5	47	42	40	34
6	46	44	43	40
Total Elementary	271	229	238	225
7	37	42	38	43
8	49	34	41	44
9	35	42	36	42
10	42	29	41	34
11	45	42	24	42
12	43	41	42	29
Total Mill River	251	223	222	234
Grand Total	522	459	460	459

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

I thank you, Clarendon residents, for supporting our elementary school. I am proud to be in my third year as your principal, and I am excited about the work we do together: students, staff, parents and volunteers of all ages and interests. This school is a place where young children and early adolescents gain fundamental life skills and knowledge, but to many of us it is more than that. It is a community center where we connect with each other as neighbors. A cherished goal of mine is to help unite Clarendon's constituencies and articulate a shared vision for our children. Towards that end, I asked staff and residents to complete a School Satisfaction Survey this fall. The results helped clarify what we expect from our public school: strong, diverse programs for children and families effectively delivered in a caring, supportive atmosphere. We share bottom line goals: meaningful instruction and solid growth opportunities for our children. Now we should look together at what we achieved last year and what we'll adjust in future years.

In the 2000-2001 school year we planned for some important changes that we're implementing in 2001-2002. One of the biggest adjustments concerned our youngest elementary grade level. Following many helpful community discussions, we started full day kindergarten last fall. We moved away from the traditional half-day structure to give all children a less rushed feeling in their activities and more hours to play and learn together. Families have shared with me how delighted they are with the program. The kindergarten teachers, Mrs. Lawry and Loyzelle, and their assistant, Mrs. Hanrahan, deserve most of the credit for those good feelings. I've noticed how well our five-year-olds have adjusted to the routines and rhythms of a full school day, and I look forward to a very successful first grade year for them.

Another change this year is an English Language Arts position serving grades three, four and five. Mrs. Gonyea, formerly a fourth grade homeroom teacher, teaches reading and writing with colleagues at those grade levels. This allows smaller group sizes than would not be possible otherwise, and smaller is definitely better for literacy instruction. It's exciting to visit classrooms and see the variety of successful approaches we're using and the collaboration among our homeroom teachers, English Language Arts and Title teachers, special educators, gifted & talented coordinator and assistants. Most important, our students are happily engaged in their work and growing in their skills.

2000-2001 was the first year that all seven grades were jointly linked to our new math series, Math Land. We are generally pleased with the curriculum materials we have purchased and the classroom activities that accompany them, while we continue to work towards full implementation and teacher-to-teacher training opportunities. On this note, though not just about math, Sue DeCarolis is a wonderful addition to our Rutland South team. As the supervisory union's curriculum coordinator, she helps our schools work toward consistency in what we ask students *to know and be able to do* at each grade, whether in Wallingford, Shrewsbury or Clarendon. Curriculum is not just about the books we choose; it's also about our shared goals for student learning. Here at Clarendon, we'll invite parents and the community to join us for a math night this spring, a chance for students to show off some of their skills. Meanwhile, our standardized test scores show improvement in problem solving skills for the third straight year, so we expect to build on those successes.

There is an as-yet-unsettled question that is vitally important to this school community. That is, "How will we assure access to high quality early education programs for all Clarendon families?" Most who answered our School Satisfaction Survey favored establishing a public pre-kindergarten program for all residents' three- and four-year-olds. We have several existing programs that are working effectively with preschoolers and we want to retain all their services. They have the shared

mission of helping every child to start school *ready to learn*. Early Essential Education (EEE) staff, serving all three Rutland South districts, give support to children with special needs. Head Start and Even Start run skill-building programs for children and their parents countywide, including several Clarendon families. The weekly playgroup is another way some families connect with and support each other as they give their children social growth opportunities. Most preschool-age children in Clarendon are not eligible for EEE or Head Start, but many now participate in the Clarendon Parent Co-op Preschool, which is privately run and depends year-to-year on grant funds and donations. Providers and the school board are discussing ways to pull these programs together so that no child will be turned away or put on a wait list.

What's especially rewarding about life in this school community? The people who live and work with us make it a pleasure for staff to be here. This is far too short a piece to acknowledge everyone's shared efforts, but let's remember those who provide some "extras" at Clarendon. We have senior citizens reading to children, coworkers and neighbors caring for the Peace Garden, the athletic director and coaches providing after school sports and volunteers leading Brownies and Scouts and Odyssey of the Mind. Most of all, we have wonderful students, young people who care about their school, their community and each other. I feel privileged to be involved in their lives.

Respectfully submitted,
David Mandel, Principal

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

This is my first report to you since I joined the Supervisory Union last March. It will be one of two reports, since after coming on board I agreed to move from interim status to first one, then two years of service. Thus, I will be writing a second report next year.

Upon taking office in March I found that the Supervisory Union and I faced some unique challenges. I have always considered challenges nothing more than problems to be solved and I am delighted to report that I found a lot of great people throughout the district with which to work with in finding solutions. I am happy to report that we are moving forward with plans to coordinate curriculum K-12 and establish a more unified calendar.

However, I am most compelled to devote the remainder of this report to an individual who has decided to step down from public school board service. After thirty-six years of service to this community, Leland Congdon will not be seeking election to another term. This is a remarkable span of service, without question one of the longest in the state of Vermont.

Leland was first elected to the Clarendon School Board in 1966. He has served continuously on the school board ever since. During his tenure Leland helped organize a new union school district, eventually giving birth to the Mill River Union High School. He was one of the first Clarendon members to the Mill River Board which was formed in 1974. He was a significant leader in the planning and building of two major schools, one being the high school, the second being the Clarendon Elementary School. Later he played a major role in helping to construct a significant addition to each of these facilities.

While it is impossible to fully describe for people today the amount of time that Leland has contributed to public school service, let me give it a try. To start with, let's consider that each school board meets a minimum of twice a month, with committee meetings requiring additional time. For a substantial portion of the 36 years, Leland served on two school boards, thus the time factor is

doubled. After the Supervisory Union was formed in the early 70's, a time consuming feat all by itself, add another four to six meetings a year, compounded by additional committee meetings. We have now compiled a huge amount of community service that Leland has contributed to this town and its youth. It's almost beyond one's comprehension.

Let's also remember that during a portion of his tenure he was still raising a family and working a dairy farm. Where did he find the time?

But let's not stop there. During his tenure Leland was a significant leader in the planning and building of two major schools, as I mentioned above. Later he played an important role in helping to construct a large addition to each of these facilities. Having been involved in similar projects myself, I can well testify to the chunks of time that this man contributed to these projects. There are meetings with architects and engineers, bond counsel and bankers, reviewing bids to select contractors, supervising the construction, and reviewing punch lists at the conclusion.

But let's not stop even there. I first met Leland through his service on the Regional Advisory Board for the Stafford Technical Center. This Board required attendance at monthly meetings and additional committee meetings, adding yet another dimension to his civic service and demanding schedule.

I suspect that there are few people in this state, and quite probably only a few people in this nation of ours, that can match Mr. Congdon's commitment to public education and youth. His sense of community service as measured by his actions is simply beyond our grasp. Everyone in Clarendon, and indeed, the entire Rutland South Supervisory Union, owes a huge debt of gratitude to this "down to earth" farmer, who has been such a force for our children over a long thirty-six years. There is no way we can ever repay him for his devoted service other than to offer him a big **THANK YOU** on town meeting day.

Respectfully,
W. Richard Brothers, Superintendent

TEACHER SALARY SCHEDULE

The Clarendon teacher salary schedule for the 2001-2002 school year has a base salary of **24,312** and maximum step and column increments of **\$851**. There is a high salary of **\$48,989** for a teacher with advanced degrees and at least twenty-five years of teaching experience.

BUDGET, TAXES AND STATE AID

The proposed budget for the 2002-2003 school year is printed in the right hand column of the financial statements printed elsewhere in this report. This budget has total expenditures of **\$2,786,241** for the operation of the Clarendon Elementary School. The new budget represents an increase in expenditures of **6.21%** over the budget for the current year.

FEDERAL PROGRAMS

Rutland South Supervisory Union receives a limited amount of federal funds which support educational programs in all of our schools. **Title I** supports remedial reading and mathematics instruction; **Title II** supports improvements in mathematics and science instruction; **Title IV** (Safe and Drug Free Schools) provides drug and alcohol abuse education for students; and **Title VI** provides funds for mini-grants for teachers, the purchase of instructional materials, and curriculum development and class size reduction. Parents or others wishing to have additional information or

to comment on these programs are encouraged to contact W. Richard Brothers, Superintendent of Schools (775-3264).

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Rutland South Supervisory Union offers comprehensive special education services to ensure that eligible students with disabilities receive a free appropriate public education in accordance with state and federal laws and regulations. In an effort to respond to the unique learning characteristics which result from disabilities, special education is offered in various ways and includes: consulting teacher programs, resource rooms, speech and language services, EEE (Essential Early Education), consulting services and special placements. Anyone with knowledge of children in need of services (including preschool) is encouraged to contact Wendy Savery, Director of Special Services (775-3264). All special education costs and state revenues are included in the financial reports.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

The Clarendon School Board meets on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the music room of the elementary school. The public is encouraged to attend these meetings. Also, the Board holds special meetings to transact other business such as contract negotiations.

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

The Clarendon School Board offers employment and educational opportunities without regard to sex, race, color, national origin or handicap. Inquiries regarding this policy may be directed to: W. Richard Brothers, Superintendent of Schools, PO Box 87, North Clarendon, Vermont 05759 (775-3264).

CLARENDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
OPERATING FUND

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Description	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-2002	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
Total Revenue	4,372,152	4,841,517	4,824,600	4,934,645
Total Expenditures	4,436,183	4,702,294	4,808,709	4,925,376
Excess Revenue	(64,031)	139,223	15,891	9,269
Beginning Bal July 1	38,041	(139,223)	(4,769)	(9,269)
To Sinking Fund	-	-	-	-
Adjustments	51,500	-	-	-
Transfers to Hot Lunch	(30,279)	-	(4,500)	-
Ending Bal June 30	(4,769)	-	(9,269)	-
Reserved				
Unreserved				

RECEIPTS TABLE I

Code	Account	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-2002	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
	LOCAL REVENUE				
1110	TAXES-ELEMENTARY	-	-	-	-
1110	TAXES-MILL RIVER	-	-	-	-
1322	TUITION	70,944	52,000	59,650	56,000
1362	SPECIAL ED FEES	-	15,962	15,962	19,229
1422	TRANSPORT	18,900	29,000	18,900	29,000
1510	INVESTMENTS	25,869	15,000	13,500	12,500
1990	OTHER LOCAL	16,043	4,000	4,000	5,000
	TOTAL LOCAL	131,756	115,962	112,012	122,729
	2000 SUB-GRANT	40,575	40,575	40,575	40,575
	ACT 60 ABOVE BLOCK AMT	1,028,934	1,612,216	1,561,812	1,567,052
	STATE REVENUE				
**	ACT 60 BLOCK GRANT	2,644,265	2,645,583	2,677,529	2,619,694
	ACT 60 DEBT SERVICE AID	35,177	20,000	38,456	25,000
	ACT 60 TRANSPORT AID	72,622	55,000	42,035	45,635
3110	GENERAL STATE AID	-	-	-	-
3160	CAPITAL DEBT SRVC AID	-	-	-	-
3201	SPEC ED BLOCK GRANT	137,876	139,042	139,042	130,300
3202	SPEC ED INTENSIVE	255,272	195,075	195,075	366,988
3203	SPEC ED EXTRAORDINARY	-	-	-	-
3204	SPEC ED EEE	19,842	18,064	18,064	16,672
3460	SPEC ED STATE PLACED	5,333	-	-	-
3900	OTHER STATE SOURCES	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL STATE REVENUE	4,199,821	3,072,764	3,110,201	3,204,289
	5000 TRANS FROM SINKING FUND	-	-	-	-
	5000 REFUNDS/OTHER	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL OTHER REVENUE	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL REVENUE ALL SOURCES	4,372,152	4,841,517	4,824,600	4,934,645

** Act 60 Block Grant - Estimated \$5,566 per Equalized Pupil

CLARENDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

EXPENDITURES TABLE II

Code	Account	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-2002	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
1100	INSTRUCTION				
	Salaries	835,704	886,848	839,294	848,890
	Benefits	216,692	234,613	247,109	243,017
	Purchased Services	3,683	5,000	5,000	5,000
	Supplies & Travel	23,585	24,250	24,250	24,250
	Books	11,342	17,000	17,000	17,000
	Equipment	3,564	3,500	3,500	3,500
	Total Instruction	1,094,570	1,171,211	1,136,153	1,141,657
1120	ACTIVITIES	4,890	5,864	5,864	5,864
2120	GUIDANCE	40,579	48,585	48,028	49,614
2130	HEALTH SERVICES	38,871	53,479	53,071	58,351
2210	IMPROVEMENT OF INSTR.	31,823	19,790	19,790	23,600
2220	LIBRARY / MEDIA				
	Salaries & Benefits	66,688	77,497	73,143	79,380
	Supplies	952	1,000	1,000	1,000
	Books	9,105	13,500	13,500	13,500
	Equipment	4,209	13,000	13,000	13,000
	Total Library / Media	80,954	104,997	100,643	106,880
2310	BOARD OF EDUCATION	7,699	7,318	7,318	7,318
2320	ADMINISTRATION, RSSU	47,195	43,844	43,844	41,923
2400	ADMINISTRATION, SCHOOL				
	Salaries & Benefits	107,883	117,917	117,113	124,479
	Contracted Services	11,426	11,436	11,436	11,436
	Telephone / Postage	3,338	7,500	7,500	7,500
	Travel	100	750	750	750
	Supplies / Books / Equipment	2,243	2,640	2,640	2,640
	Dues / Fees	109	525	525	525
	Total Administration, School	125,099	140,768	139,964	147,330
2520	FISCAL SERVICES				
	Treasurer / Bookkeeper	4,306	4,198	4,198	4,737
	S.U. Assessment	27,989	26,532	26,532	25,695
	Audit	3,050	-	-	3,500
	Supplies / Bank Charges	2,926	16,150	16,150	3,000
	Total Fiscal Services	38,271	46,880	46,880	36,932

EXPENDITURES TABLE II

Code	Account	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-2002	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
2600	Building / Grounds / Equipment				
	Salaries & Benefits	47,094	52,851	52,493	65,892
	Repair & Maintenance	39,622	18,900	18,900	18,900
	Insurance	8,018	10,500	10,500	12,600
	Supplies	8,831	8,800	8,800	8,800
	Electricity	34,246	35,000	35,000	38,500
	Fuel Oil & Bottled Gas	20,612	16,500	15,500	18,000
	Equipment	1,286	9,500	9,500	12,000
	Total Building/Grounds/Equip.	159,709	152,051	150,693	174,692
2711	TRANSPORTATION				
	Salaries & Benefits	24,466	25,304	26,193	28,063
	Repair & Maintenance	2,317	5,000	5,000	5,000
	Transportation Contracts	32,288	34,500	34,500	39,567
	Insurance	864	980	980	1,176
	Diesel Fuel & Supplies	238	4,700	4,700	5,700
	Bus	51,513	-	-	-
	Total Transportation	111,686	70,484	71,373	79,506
2720	TRANSPORT, ACTIVITIES	170	2,077	2,077	2,077
2790	TRANSPORT, FIELD TRIPS	464	2,753	2,753	2,753
3300	COMMUNITY SERVICE	8,940	-	-	-
5100	DEBT SERVICE	111,845	122,200	122,200	87,319
5200	ADJUSTMENTS	2,864	600	600	600
5350	TRANSFER - SINKING FUND	2,500	2,500	3,500	5,000
	TOTAL ELEMENTARY EXPENDITURES	1,908,129	1,995,401	1,954,751	1,971,416
1200	SPECIAL EDUCATION				
	Salaries & Benefits	224,286	220,665	277,923	292,685
	Purchased Service	12,823	15,400	15,400	-
	Assessment-Spec Ed / EEE	38,418	39,110	39,110	56,031
	Tuition	116,536	100,500	190,024	201,412
	Supplies & Equipment	3,758	8,050	8,050	8,800
	Psychological Serv. /Consulting	26,452	24,230	24,230	22,944
	Speech Services	40,849	45,153	45,153	34,539
	Administration	31,631	48,214	48,214	71,312
	Transportation / Other	464	13,100	13,100	-
	Total Special Education	495,217	514,422	661,204	687,723
1400	TITLE I	47,041	52,678	52,961	54,155
	TOTAL ELEM AND SPECIAL ED	2,450,387	2,562,501	2,668,916	2,713,294
1100	TUITION - STAFFORD	58,326	60,638	60,638	72,947
1100	UNION SCH ASSESSMENT	1,927,470	2,079,155	2,079,155	2,139,135
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	4,436,183	4,702,294	4,808,709	4,925,376

CLARENDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

	June 30, 2001	June 30, 2000
Assets		
Cash: Operational Fund	253,650	83,197
Cash: School Lunch	500	1,000
Cash: Sinking Fund	7,566	7,483
Cash: Fiduciary Fund (Payroll Taxes / Activities)	125	125
Cash: Due to Student Groups	-	-
Due from other funds	2,500	-
Prepaid Expenses	400	-
Accounts Receivable: General Fund	45,134	28,632
Accounts Receivable: School Lunch	-	24,748
Inventory: School Lunch	169	860
Amount for Retirement of Loans	28,000	84,000
Amount for Retirement of Bonds	546,500	545,000
Buildings and Equipment	4,162,549	4,162,549
Total Assets	5,047,093	4,937,594
Liabilities & Fund Balance		
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable: General Fund	11,770	22,290
Accounts Payable: School Lunch	-	273
Due to Student groups	-	-
Due to General Fund	-	-
Payroll Taxes and Withholdings Payable	-	-
Notes Payable: Short Term	288,000	150,000
Long Term Debt: Loans	28,000	84,000
Long Term Debt: Bonds	546,500	545,000
Fund Balances		
Unreserved	(4,769)	(14,952)
Reserved: Grants	3,320	3,320
Reserved: Sinking Fund	10,066	7,483
Reserved: School Lunch	1,657	(22,369)
Investment in Fixed Assets	4,162,549	4,162,549
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	5,047,093	4,937,594

COMBINED STATEMENT OF
REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

Description	Operational Fund	Sinking Fund	Grants	School Lunch	Total
Revenue	4,372,152	2,500	-	42,726	4,417,378
Expenditures	4,436,183	-	-	48,979	4,485,162
Excess of Revenue	(64,031)	2,500	-	(6,253)	(67,784)
Fund Balance: July 1, 2000	38,041	7,483	3,320	(22,369)	26,475
Transfers	(30,279)	-	-	30,279	-
Adjustments	51,500	83	-	-	51,583
Fund Balance: June 30, 2001	(4,769)	10,066	3,320	1,657	10,274

RUTLAND SOUTH SUPERVISORY UNION

OPERATING FUND REVENUE

	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-02	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
ASSESSMENTS TO SCHOOLS				
Central Office Administration				
Clarendon	75,184	70,375	70,375	67,618
Shrewsbury	24,781	29,411	29,411	27,492
Wallingford	51,594	62,423	62,423	54,985
Mill River UHS	213,808	225,432	225,432	217,559
Total Central Office	365,367	387,641	387,641	367,654
Computer Service / Curriculum				
Clarendon	15,014	11,290	11,290	14,100
Shrewsbury	5,075	5,018	5,018	6,267
Wallingford	10,009	10,036	10,036	12,534
Mill River UHS	42,047	36,379	36,379	45,435
Total Curriculum/Comp	72,145	62,723	62,723	78,336
Total Assessments	437,512	450,364	450,364	445,990
Interest	3,794	3,750	2,795	3,000
Service to Other LEA,s	30,414	26,397	26,397	37,589
Other	-	-	-	-
VISBIT refund	-	-	-	-
TOTAL REVENUE	471,720	480,511	479,556	486,579

EXPENDITURES

Guidance Services	-	-	-	-
Computer Technology Services	62,151	62,722	75,358	78,336
Central Office Administration	204,265	229,167	214,250	229,221
Fiscal Services	121,168	141,311	144,914	129,010
Buildings/Grounds/Equipment	15,739	16,310	16,310	20,770
Transportation	30,414	26,397	37,589	37,589
Adjustments	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	433,737	475,907	488,421	494,926

Summary of Revenue,Expenditures and Changes to Fund Balance

Total Revenue	471,720	480,511	479,556	486,579
Total Expenditures	433,737	475,907	488,421	494,926
Excess Of Revenue	37,983	4,604	(8,865)	(8,347)
Beg Bal July 1	47,518	66,984	85,501	76,636
Ending Bal June 30	85,501	71,588	76,636	68,289
unreserved	60,487	-	60,622	52,275
reserved	16,014	-	16,014	16,014

RUTLAND SOUTH SUPERVISORY UNION

FUND 3 REVENUE

	ACTUAL 2000-2001	BUDGET 2001-2002	ESTIMATE 2001-2002	BUDGET 2002-2003
Speech				
Clarendon	40,849	45,153	45,153	28,926
Shrewsbury	15,984	20,068	20,068	12,856
Wallingford	31,969	35,119	35,119	22,499
Total Speech	88,802	100,339	100,340	64,281
EEE Early Ed.				
Clarendon	38,418	39,110	39,110	51,419
Shrewsbury	14,511	17,382	17,382	22,853
Wallingford	29,038	30,419	30,419	39,992
Total EEE	81,967	86,911	86,911	114,264
Special Ed Administration				
Clarendon	31,631	48,214	48,214	66,699
Shrewsbury	12,377	21,428	21,428	29,644
Wallingford	24,754	37,500	37,500	51,877
Total Spec Ed Admin	68,762	107,142	107,142	148,220
Psychological Services				
Clarendon	7,769	6,837	6,837	14,099
Shrewsbury	2,694	3,039	3,039	6,266
Wallingford	5,232	5,318	5,318	12,533
Mill River UHS	33,923	-	60,094	45,431
Total Psych Srvc	49,618	15,194	75,288	78,329
Total Programs	289,149	309,586	369,681	405,094
Other Local	-	-	-	-
State Revenue IDEA-B	109,622	75,000	129,163	100,000
State Revenue IDEA-B Preschool	2,877	2,500	3,253	3,352
Grants *	194,651	209,829	247,657	273,177
TOTAL REVENUE	596,299	596,915	749,754	781,623

EXPENDITURES

Summer Programs	65	3,000	3,000	3,000
Special Education	42,992	-	-	56,530
EEE Early Ed.	68,498	89,411	124,875	127,865
Hearing Impaired	-	-	-	-
Title I	667	21,209	8,885	9,500
Psychological Services	46,337	15,194	78,145	88,580
Speech Services	165,051	175,339	175,339	174,532
Improvement of Instruction	-	-	-	-
Special Ed Administration	66,040	107,142	126,234	98,940
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Grant Expenditures	94,438	114,407	114,407	155,265
Subgrants / Other	93,893	95,583	120,944	108,413
Total Expenditures	577,981	621,285	751,829	822,625

Summary of Revenue,Expenditures and Changes to Fund Balance

Total Revenue	596,299	596,915	749,754	781,623
Total Expenditures	577,981	621,285	751,829	822,625
Excess Of Revenue	18,318	(24,371)	(2,075)	(41,002)
Beg Bal July 1	55,518	35,517	73,836	73,836
Ending Bal June 30	73,836	11,146	-	32,834

ACTUAL BUDGET ESTIMATE BUDGET 2000-2001 2001-2002 2001-2001 2002-2003

Title I Funds Included in Fund 3

Total Revenue	104,356	116,792	129,452	117,913
Total Expenditures	93,383	116,792	129,452	117,913
Excess of Revenues	10,973	-	-	-

TOWN MEETING MINUTES

Monday, March 5, 2001

Clarendon Elementary School

The Town portion of the meeting was called to order by Moderator, David Potter, at 8:00 p.m.

Article 1. To act on all Town Officers reports.

Nancy Buffum moved to act on all Town Officer reports seconded by Brian Morgan and carried by voice vote.

Article 2. To see if the Town of Clarendon will pay taxes to the Treasurer.

Michael Stimpfel so moved the article, seconded by David Trombley and carried by voice vote.

Article 3. To see if the Town of Clarendon will authorize the Select Board to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

So moved by Eric Jensen and seconded by Joe Kalakowski and carried by voice vote.

RESULTS OF AUSTRALIAN BALLOT BUDGET & SPECIAL ITEMS

Tuesday, March 6, 2001

Article 4. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum not to exceed \$495,995.12 to provide funds for the General Government and Highway Expenditures? (Australian Ballot)

YES	413	NO	134	BLANK 7
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Article 5. Shall the Town set annual compensation for the Select Board at \$1,000.00 each for the calendar year January 1, 2001 thru December 31, 2001? (Australian Ballot)

YES	443	NO	103	BLANK 8
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Article 6. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$36,000.00 for the support of the Clarendon Volunteer Association? (Australian Ballot)

YES 477	NO	73	BLANK 4
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Article 7. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$13,466.00 for the support of the Rutland Regional Ambulance Service, Inc.? (Australian Ballot)

YES 429	NO	120	BLANK 5
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Article 8. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$3,539.00 to support the Rutland Area Visiting Nurse Association and Hospice in calendar year 2001 - \$200 to support Rutland Area Hospice, and \$3,339.00 to support RAVNAH Home and Community Services? (Australian Ballot)

YES 422	NO	125	BLANK 7
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Article 9. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$1,300.00 for the support of the Clarendon Senior Meals Site (Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging)? (Australian Ballot)

YES 451	NO	97	BLANK 6
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Article 10. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$2,200.00 for the support of the Rutland Mental Health Services? (Australian Ballot)

YES 268	NO	274	BLANK 12
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Article 11. Shall the town raise by taxation the sum of \$75.00 for the support of the Rutland Natural Resources Conservation District? (Australian Ballot)

YES	249	NO	290	BLANK 15
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Article 12. Shall the town raise by taxation the sum of 450.00 for the support of the George D. Aiken Resource Conservation & Development Council Inc.?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 239 NO 301 BLANK 13

Article 13. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$385.00 for the support of the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)? (Australian Ballot)

YES 392 NO 154 BLANK 8

Article 14. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$295.00 for support of the Vermont Center for Independent Living? (Australian Ballot)

YES 293 NO 246 BLANK 15

Article 15. Shall the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$165.00 for support of the Rutland County Women's Network & Shelter? (Australian Ballot)

YES 329 NO 216 BLANK 9

Article 16. Shall the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to support the Association for Retarded Citizens-Rutland Area in 2001?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 338 NO 206 BLANK 10

Article 17. Shall the Town of Clarendon raise by taxation the sum of \$500.00 for the partial funding of the Rutland County Community Land Trust's efforts to provide safe, decent, and perpetually affordable housing in Clarendon?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 273 NO 265 BLANK 16

Article 18. Shall the Town of Clarendon vote to change the Road Commissioner's elected term of office from one year to three years, per Vermont State Statutes, Title 17 Chapter 55§2646 - to be effective in year 2002?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 368 NO 180 BLANK 6

Article 19. Shall the Town of Clarendon vote to approve a delinquent tax collection interest rate of 1% for the first three months and 1 1/2% thereafter?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 399 NO 146 BLANK 9

Article 20. Shall the voters of the Town of Clarendon amend under section 421 Commercial and Residential exceptions: The following are not permitted in the Commercial and Residential District: To include (d) Asphalt, hot mix, cement plants? (Australian Ballot)

YES 294 NO 253 BLANK 7

Article 21. Shall the voters of the Town of Clarendon amend under section 422 Commercial-Industrial exceptions: The following are not permitted in this District: To include (d) Asphalt, hot mix, cement plants?
(Australian Ballot)

YES 282 NO 267 BLANK 5

Article 22. Shall the voters of the Town of Clarendon under Section 422 Commercial-Industrial, boundaries of District, delete paragraph (b) and to include the land as described in paragraph (b) below, within the Commercial and Residential District.
(b) Route 7B. The land contained within the boundaries starting at the intersection of Route 7 and Route 7B south of the village of North Clarendon, thence proceeding due east to the Green Mountain Railroad tracks thence proceeding in a southeasterly direction along the western boundary of the railroad right-of-way to the intersection of railroad tracks and East Road (town highway no. 8), thence proceeding in a straight line in a westerly direction to the intersection of Route 7B and Route 103, thence proceeding in a westerly direction along the north side of Route 103 to the intersection of Route 7 and Route 103, and thence proceeding in a northerly direction along the easterly side of Route 7 to the intersection of Route 7 and Route 7B being the place of beginning.

Access to this area shall be restricted to approved access from Route 7b only? (Australian Ballot)

YES 282 NO 253 BLANK 19

ATTEST:

DATE:

Gayle A. Pedone
Mar. 14, 2001

Daniel Potter

RESULTS OF AUSTRALIAN BALLOT TOWN OFFICERS

Tuesday March 6, 2001

For Moderator, 1 year term

No One on Ballot

David Potter	32 write-ins	Write-ins	52
Brownson Spencer	50 write-ins	Blanks	417
		Spoiled	3

For Selectman, 3 year term

David E. Potter	293	Write-ins	1
Brownson Spencer	237	Blanks	23
		Spoiled	0

For Selectman, 2 year term

Nancy Buffum	290	Write-ins	1
Randle Kinne	238	Blanks	25
		Spoiled	0

For Collector of Delinquent Taxes, 1 year term

Rebecca Mandolare	478	Write-ins	13
		Blanks	62
		Spoiled	1

For Road Commissioner, 1 year term

Norman C. Bowen	473	Write-ins	32
		Blanks	49
		Spoiled	0

For Lister, 3 year term

Arthur W. Knox, Sr	428	Write-ins	10
		Blanks	112
		Spoiled	4

For Lister, 1 year term (unexpired term)

Nancy A. Decker	403	Write-ins	10
		Blanks	141
		Spoiled	0

For First Constable, 2 year term

Steven J. Johnson	450	Write-ins	19
		Blanks	93
		Spoiled	2

For Auditor, 3 year term

Doris Weeks	470	Write-ins	1
		Blanks	83
		Spoiled	0

For Town Agent, 1 year term

No One on Ballot		Write-ins (misc)	57
Gale Licausi	30 write-ins	Blanks	466
		Spoiled	1

For Town Grand Juror, 1 year term

Michael J. Pedone	473	Write-ins	2
		Blanks	79
		Spoiled	0

Attest: Jay A. Pedone

Date: Mar. 14, 2001

D. E. Potter

RESULTS OF AUSTRALIAN BALLOT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Tuesday, March 6, 2001

For Moderator, 1 year term

No One on Ballot			
David E. Potter write-ins	37	Blank	434
Brownson Spencer write-ins	36	Spoiled	3
Write-ins (misc)	44		

For Clarendon Elementary School Director, 3 year term

No One on Ballot			
Mark Raub write-ins	23	Blank	463
Write-ins	64	Spoiled	4

For Clarendon Elementary School director, 2 year term

Mary F. Johnson	403	Blank	144
Write-ins	7	Spoiled	0

For Union #40 School Director, 3 year term

Paul R. Doaner	202	Blank	53
Thomas S. O'Brien	289	Spoiled	4
		Write-ins	6

For Union #40 School Director, 2 year (unexpired) term

Karl R. Anderson	128	Blank	52
John Canney III	141	Spoiled	17
Robert Hodge	47	Write-ins	4
Allan Sylvester	165		

Article 6. To vote to authorize the School Directors to borrow money temporarily as may be required to pay orders.
(Australian Ballot)

YES	338	NO	201	BLANK	15
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Article 7. To vote to approve a total budget of \$2,623,139.00 for the operation of the elementary school and Stafford Vocational tuition. (Australian Ballot)

YES	358	NO	184	BLANK	12
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ATTEST: Gaye A. Pedone

DATE: Mar. 14, 2001

Wanda R. [Signature]

RESULTS OF RECOUNT

Thursday, March 15, 2001
Clarendon Town Hall – 1:00 p.m.

At the request of Brownson Spencer, the ballots for the office of School District Moderator were recounted with the following results.

David Potter	37	Write-ins	46
Brownson Spencer	36	Blank	434
		Spoiled	1

ATTEST: Joyce A. Pedone/s David E. Potter/s

DATE: March 16, 2001

TOWN OF CLARENDON, VERMONT

SELECT BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE FOR YEAR 2002

All residents of the Town of Clarendon are welcome to attend Select Board meetings. Meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at the Clarendon Town Hall, 279 Middle Road, Clarendon, Vermont. The meeting schedule is as follows unless otherwise posted. These meeting dates are subject to change by the Board of Selectmen. There will be notices posted announcing any necessary changes in meeting dates and any additional workshops/meetings.

January	14 28	July	8 22
February	11 25	August	12 26
March	11 25	September	9 23
April	8 22	October	14 28
May	13 27	November	11 25
June	10 24	December	9 23

SELECT BOARD AGENDA POLICY

If you have an issue to discuss with the Select Board and would like placement on the agenda call the Administrative Assistant at (802) 747-4074, fax your request to (802) 775-4274, or mail your request to Clarendon Board of Selectmen, P.O. Box 30, North Clarendon, Vermont 05759. The Select Board must receive request for agenda placement by 4:00 p.m. on the Thursday proceeding the scheduled Monday meeting. This allows time for agenda preparation and mailing to Select Board members in advance of the meeting and allows Select Board members time to prepare for the meeting.

Those individuals not on the agenda must wait until completion of all agenda items unless invited to speak by the Select Board Chairman. The meeting agenda also includes a public comment section.

CLARENDON BOARD OF SELECTMEN

TOWN CALENDAR

OFFICE HOURS:

Town Clerk

Mon., Tues., Wed., and Thurs.
10 AM to 4 PM

Board of Listers

Mon., Tues., Wed.
10 AM - 1 PM or by appointment

TOWN TRANSFER STATION HOURS:

Tuesday 10 AM to 5 PM
Thursday 10 AM to 5 PM
Saturday 8 AM to 1 PM

BAILEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY HOURS:

Tues., Wed., Thurs., 12 PM - 5 PM
Saturday 9 AM - 2 PM
Closed - Monday and Friday

MEETING SCHEDULES:

Board of Selectmen

2nd and 4th Mondays of each month
7:00 PM at Clarendon Town Hall

Clarendon Planning Commission

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month
7:00 PM at Clarendon Town Hall

Clarendon Elementary School Board

1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month
6:30 PM at Clarendon Elementary School

Mill River Union High School Board

1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month
7:00 PM at Mill River Union High School

PERMITS:

- Permits are required for all types of building - new additions, new decks, change of use, and in-ground swimming pools. Call the Zoning Administrator, Robert LaFrancis at 438-5261 if you have any permit questions.
- Open burning permit can be obtained by calling the Fire Warden, Clayton Rockwell at 775-2074

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Any taxes not legally received by the due date will be considered delinquent